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Poetry.

TO THE EVENING WIND.

BY W. C. BRYANT.

pirit that breathest through my lattice, thou
That coolst the twilight of the sultry day,
ratefully flows thy freshness round my brow;
Thou hast been out upon the deep at play,
iding all day the wild b ue waves till now,
Roughening their crests, and spreading high their spray,
nd swelling the white sail. I welcome thee
o the scorch'd land, thou wanderer of the sea!

or I alone:—a thousand bosoms round
Inhale thee in the fullness of delight;
nd languid forms rise up, and pulses bound
Livelier, at coming of the wind of night:
nd languishing to hear thy grateful sound,
Lies the vast inland stretch'd beyond the sight.
o forth into the gathering shade; go forth,
od's blessing breathe upon the fainting earth!

o, rock the little wood-bird in his nest,
Curl the still waters, bright with stars, and rouse
he wide old wood from his majestic rest,
Summoning from the innumerable boughs
he strange, deep harmonies that haunt his breast;
Pleasant shall be thy way where meekly bows
he shutting flower, and darkling waters pa s,
nd twixt the o'er shadowing branches and the grass,

he faint old man shall lean his silver head
To feel thee; thou shalt kiss the child asleep,
nd dry the moistened curls that overspread
His temples while his breathing grows more deep;
nd they who stand about the sick man's bed
Shall joy to listen to thy distant sweep,
nd softly part his curtains to allow
hy visit, g rateful to his burning brow.

o,—but the circle of eternal change,
Which is the life of nature, shall restore,
ith sounds and scents from all the thy mighty range,
Thee to thy birth-place of the deep once more;
weet odors in the sea air, sweet and strange,
Shall tell the home-sick mariner of the shore;
nd, listening to thy murmur, he shall dream
e hears the rustling leaf and running stream.

Agriculture.

HOW TO FEED STOCK ECONOMICALLY.—The due preparation of food for stock is an important matter. Hundreds of experiments have established, beyond all doubt, the fact that all sorts of provender, when finely divided, goes a great deal further than when fed in its coarse, natural state. Rough food of every description, not excepting the best of hay, should invariably be chopped up into pieces not exceeding an inch and a quarter in length. This is the uniform practice of all good farmers in Great Britain, Belgium, Germany, &c., and of all the best stock feeders in our northern States, and no fact in agriculture, perhaps, is better established than its paramount importance. It is desirable and proper at all times, but particularly and emphatically so in seasons of scarcity; and the use of machinery, of the fast hay and straw cutters now in use, diminishes the labor of the thing so greatly as to make the plan a feasible one to every farmer. Wetting, or even thoroughly soaking this species of provender before feeding, is found to enhance its value.

Corn, too, and every sort of grain, should be ground before it is given to the animals. Not merely crushed, but ground into fine meal. In this condition only can it be used to the best advantage, according to the experience of the best farmers of the day. The proper plan is to mix it with the cut food above described, and it is important that it should be fine enough to do it when wet. The rough food and the meal thus prepared and fed to stock is found to go further by from twenty-five to fifty per cent, than the same articles fed in the ordinary way without preparation.—Such at least is the testimony of those who have paid most attention to the subject; and the fact that they continue to practice themselves, year after year, what they recommend to others, is a pretty good proof that they do really find it profitable. The mill above mentioned, which has a cob-cutter attached, is warranted to grind from eight to ten bushels of corn per hour, by horse power, and much more by steam.

The importance of mixing the cut hay, straw, &c., with the meal, and of thoroughly pulverizing the latter for ruminating animals, is not only proved by experience, but is also made manifest by their physiological structure. Grain fed to them alone passes on directly to the third stomach, having been but slightly acted on by the gastric juice, and is often voided whole and unaltered, without any profit to the animal.—Rough food, however, remains in the first stomach of the animal until it has been repeatedly raised and rechewed, and passes on slowly through the complicated organs of digestion and assimilation peculiar to this class of quadrupeds; and when the grain is thoroughly comminuted and mixed with it, it follows the same road of course, and has a much better chance of being thoroughly digested.

Selected Tale.

The Story of Mick Purcell and the Wonderful Bottle.

A LEGEND OF THE IRISH PEASANTRY.

It was in the good days, when the little people, most impudently called fairies, were more frequently seen than they are in these unbelieving times, that a farmer, named Mick Purcell, rented a few acres of barren ground in the neighborhood of the once celebrated preceptory of Mourne, situated about three miles from Mallow, and thirteen from "the beautiful city called Cork." Mick had a wife and family they all did what they could—and that was but little—for the poor man had no child grown up big enough to help him in his work; and all the poor woman could do was to mind the children, and to milk the one cow and to boil the potatoes, and carry the eggs to market to Mallow; but with all they could do, it was hard enough on them to pay the rent. Well, they did manage it for a good while, but at last came a bad year, and the little grain of oats was all spoiled, and the little chickens died of the pip and the pig got the measles—she was sold in Mallow, and brought almost nothing; and poor Mick found that he hadn't enough to half pay his rent, and two gales were due.

"Why, then, Molly," said he, "what 'll we do?"

"Whisa, then, mavournene, what would you do but take the cow to the fair of Cork and sell her?" say she," and Monday is fair day, and so you must go to morrow, that the poor beast may be rested *again* the fair."

"And what'll we do when she's gone?" said Mick sorrowfully.

"Never a know I know, Mick; but sure God won't leave us without him; and you know how good He was to us when poor little Billy was sick, and we had nothing at all for him to take, that good doctor gentleman at Ballyeachin come riding and asking for a drink of milk; and how he [illegible] things and bottles for the child, and gave me my breakfast when I went over to ask a question, so he did; and how he came to see Billy, and never left off his goodness till he was quite well."

"Oh! you are always that way, Molly, and I believe you are right after all, so I won't be sorry for selling the cow; but I'll go to morrow, and you must put a needle and thread through my coat, for you know it is ripped under the arm."

Molly told him he should have every thing right; and about twelve o'clock next day he left her, getting a charge not to sell his cow except for the highest penny. Mick promised to mind it, and went on his way along the road. He drove his cow slowly through the little stream which crosses it, and runs by the old walls Mourne. As he passed he glanced his eyes upon the towers and one of the old elder trees, which were only then little bits of switches.

"Oh, then, if I only had half the money that's buried in you, tisn't driven the poor cow I'd be now. Why, then, isn't it too bad that it should be there covered over with earth, and many a one besides me wanting? Well, if it's God's will, I'll have some money myself coming back."

So saying, he moved on after his beast. It was a fine day, and the sun shone brighly on the walls of the old abby as he passed under them; he then crossed an extensive mountain tract, and after six long miles he came to the top of the hill—Bottle Hill it is now called, but that was not the name of it then—and just there a man overtook him.

"Good morrow," says he.

"Good morrow," kindly says Mick, looking at the stranger, who was a little man, you'd almost call him a dwarf, only he wasn't quite so little neither; he had a bit of an old, wrinkled, yellow face, for all the world like a dried cauliflower, only he had a sharp little nose, and red eyes, and white hair, and his lips were not red, but all his face was one color, and his eyes never were quiet, but looking at every thing, and although they were red, they made Mick feel quite cold when he looked at them. In truth he did not much like the little man's company; and couldn't see one bit of his legs, nor his body; for, though the day was warm, he was all wrapped up in a big great coat. Mick drove his cow something faster, but the little man kept up with him. Mick didn't know how he walked, for he was almost afraid to look at him, and to cross himself, for fear the old man would be angry. Yet he thought his fellow-traveler did not seem to walk like other men, nor to put one foot before the other, but glide over the road, and rough enough it was, like a shadow, without effort. Mick's heart trembled within him, and he said a prayer to himself, wishing he hadn't come out that day, or that he was on Fair-Hill, or that he hadn't the cow to mind, that he might run away from the bad thing—when, in the midst of his fears, he was again addressed by his companion.

"Where are you going with the cow, honest man?"

"To the fair of Cork, then," says Mick, trembling at the shrill and piercing tones of the voice.

"Are you going to sell her?" inquired the stranger.

"Why, then, what else am I going for but to sell her?"

"Will you sell her to me?"

Mick started—he was afraid to have any thing to do with the little man, and he was more afraid to say so.

"What will you give for her?" at last says he.

"I'll tell you what, I'll give you this bottle," said the little one, pulling a bottle from under his coat.

Mick looked at him and his bottle, and in spite of his terror could not help bursting into a loud fit of laughter.

"Laugh if you will," said the little man, "but I tell you this bottle is better for you than all the money you will get for the cow in Cork—say, than ten thousand times as much."

Mick laughed again. "Why then," says he, "do you think I am such a fool as to give my cow for a bottle—and empty one, too?—indeed, then, I won't."

"You had better give me the cow, and take the bottle—you'll not be sorry for it."

"Why, then, and what would Molly say? I would never hear the end of it; and how would I pay the rent, and what would we all do without a penny of money?"

"I tell you this bottle is better to you than money—take it, and give me the cow. I ask you for the last time, Mick Purcell."

Mick started.

"How does he know my name?" thought he.

The stranger proceeded: "Mick Purcell, I know you, and I have a regard for you: therefore do as I warn you, or you may be sorry for it. How do you know but your cow will die before you get to Cork?"

Mick was going to say "God forbid!" but the little man went on (and he was too Mick was a very civil man, and he knew better than to interrupt a gentleman, and that's what many people, that hold their heads higher, dont mind now.)

"And how do you know but there will be much cattle at the fair, and you will get a bad price, or may be you might be robbed when you are coming home? but what need I talk more to you, you are determined to throw away your luck, Mick Purcell?"

"Oh! no, I would not throw away my luck, sir," said Mick; "and if I was sure the bottle was as good as you say, though I never liked an empty bottle, although I had drank what was in it, I'd give you the cow in name—"

"Never mind names," said the stranger, "but give me the cow; I would not tell you a lie.

"Here, take the bottle, and when you go home do what I direct exactly."

Mick hesitated.

"Well, then, good bye, I can stay no longer; once more, take it, and be rich—refuse it, and beg for you life, and see your children in poverty, and your wife dying for want; depend upon it, that will happen to you, Mick Purcell!" said the little old man, with a malicious grin, which made him look ten times more ugly than ever.

"May be tis true," said Mick, still hesitating: he did not know what to do—he could hardly help believing the old man, and at length in a fit of desparation he seized the bottle—"Take the cow," said he, "and if you are telling a lie, the curse of the poor will be on you."

"I care neither for your curses nor your blessings, but I have spoken truth Mick Purcell, and that you will find to-night, if you do what I tell you."

"And what's that?" says Mick.

"When you go home, never mind if your wife is angry, but be quiet yourself and make her sweep the room clean, set the table out right, and spread a clean cloth over it; then put the bottle on the ground, saying these words; 'Bottle, do your duty,' and you will see it do it."

"And is this all!" says Mick.

"No more," said the stranger. "Good bye, Mick Purcell—you are a rich man."

"God grant it!" said Mick, as the old man moved after the cow, and Mick retraced the road towards his cabin; but he could not help turning back his head, to look after the purchaser of his cow, but he was nowhere to be seen.

"Lord between us and harm!" said Mick. '*He* can't belong to this earth—but where's the cow?"

She, too, was gone—and Mick went homeward, muttering prayers, and holding fast the bottle.

"And what would I do if it broke?" thought he. "Oh! but I'll take care of that; so he put it into his bosom, and went on anxious to prove his bottle, and doubting the reception he should meet from his wife; he reached home in the evening, and surprised his wife, sitting over the turf fire in the big chimney.

"Oh! Mick, are you come back? Sure, you weren't at Cork all the way! What has happened to you? Where is the cow? Did you sell her? How much money did you get for her? What news have you?—Tell us everything about it."

"Why, then, Molly, if you'll give me time, I'll tell you all about it. If you want to know where the cow is, 'tisn't Mick can tell you, for he never a know does he know where she now is."

"Oh! then you sold her; and where's the money?"

"Arrah! stop awhile, Molly, and I'll tell you all about it."

"But what is that bottle under your waistcoat?' said Molly, spying its neck sticking out.

"Why, then, be easy now, can't you," says Mick, till I tell it to you?" and putting the bottle on the table, "that's all I got for the cow."

His poor wife was thunderstruck. "All you got!—and what good is that, Mick? Oh I never thought you were such a fool; and what'll we do for the rent, and what—

"Now, Molly," says Mick, "can't you hearken to reason? Didn't I tell you how the old man, or whatsomever he was, met me—no, he did not meet me neither, but he was there with me—on the big hill, and how he made me sell him the cow, and told me the bottle was the only thing for me?"

"Yes, indeed, the only thing for you, you fool!" said Molly, seizing the bottle to hurl it at her poor husband's head; but Mick caught it, and quietly (for he minded the old man's advice) loosened his wife's grasp, and placed the bottle again in his bosom. Poor Molly sat down crying, while Mich told her his story, with many a crossing and blessing between him and harm. His wife could not help believing him, particularly as she had as much faith in fairies as she had in the priest, who indeed never discouraged her belief in the fairies; may be, he didn't know she believed in them himself. She got up, however, without saying one word, and began to sweep the earthen floor with a large bunch of heath; then she tidied up every thing clean cloth—for she had only one—upon it, and Mick, placing the bottle upon the ground, looked at it and said, "Bottle, do your duty."

"Look there! look there, mammy!" said his chubby eldest son, a boy about five years old—"look there! look there!" and he sprang to his mother's side, as two tiny little fellows rose like light from the bottle, and in an instant covered the table with dishes and plates of gold and silver, full of the finest victuals that ever were seen, and when all was done went into the bottle again. Mick and his wife looked at every thing with astonishment; they had never seen such plates and dishes before, and didn't think they could ever admire them enough; the very sight almost took away their appetites; but at length Molly said; "Come and sit down, Mick, and try and eat a bit—sure you ought to be hungry after such a good day's work."

"Why, then, the man told no lie about the bottle."

Mick sat down, after putting the children to the table, and they made a hearty meal though they couldn't taste half the dishes.

"Now," says Molly, "I wonder will those two good little gentlemen carry away these fine things again?" They waited, but no one came; so Molly put up the dishes and plates very carefully, saying, "Why, then, Mick, that was no lie sure enough, but you'll be a rich man yet, Mick Purcell.

Mick and his wife and children went to their bed, not to sleep, but to settle about selling the fine things they did not want, and to take more land. Mick went to Cork and sold his plate, and bought a horse and cart, and began to show that he was making money; and they did all they could to keep the bottle a secret; but for all that, their landlord found it out, for he came to Mick one day, and asked him where he got all his money—sure it was not by the farm; and he bothered him so much, that at last Mick told him of the bottle. His landlord offered him a deal of money for it; but Mick would not give it, till at last he offered to give him all his farm forever; so Mick, who was very rich, thought he'd never want any more money, and gave him the bottle; but Mick was mistaken—he and his family spent money as if there was no end to it; and, to make the story short, they became poorer and poorer, till at last they had nothing left but one cow; and Mick once more drove his cow before him to sell her at Cork fair, hoping to meet the old man and get another bottle. It was hardly daybreak when he left home, and he walked on at a good pace till he reached the big hill; the mists were sleeping in the valleys and curling like smoke-wreaths upon the brown heath around him. The sun rose on his left, and just at his feet a lark sprang from its grassy couch and poured forth its joyous matin song, ascending into the clear blue sky.

Mick crossed himself, listening as he advanced to the sweet song of the lark, but thinking notwithstanding all the time of the little old man; when just as he reached the summit of the hill, and cast his eyes over the extensive prospect before and around him, he was startled and rejoiced by the same well known voice: "Well Mick Purcell, I told you you would be a rich man.

"Indeed then sure enough I was, that's no lie for you sir. Good morning to you but it is not rich I am now—but have you another bottle, for I want it now as much as I did long ago; so if you have it, sir, here is a cow for it.

"And here is the bottle," said the old man, smiling; "you know what to do with it. Farewell forever, Mick Purcell, I told you you would be a rich man."

"And good by to you, sir," said Mick, as he turned back; 'and good luck to you, and good luck to the big hill—it wants a name—Bottle Hill. Good bye, sir, good bye;' so Mick walked back as fast as he could, never looking after the white faced little gentleman and the cow, so anxious was he to bring home the bottle. Well, he arrived with it safely enough, and called out as soon as he saw Molly, "Oh! sure, I've another bottle!"

"Arrah! then have you?—why, then, your're a lucky man, Mick Purcell.

In an instant she put everything right; and Mick, looking at his bottle, exultingly cried out, 'Bottle do you duty.' In a twinkling two great stout men with big cudgels issued from the bottle, (I do not know how they got room in it), and belabored poor Mick and his wife and all his family, till they lay on the floor, when in they went again. Mick, as soon as he recovered got up and looked about him; he thought and thought, and at last he took up his wife and children, and, leaving them to recover as well as they could, he took the bottle under his coat, and went to his landlord, who had a great company; he got a servant to tell him he wanted to speak to him, and at last he came out to Mick.

"Well, what do you want now?"

"Nothing, sir, only I've another bottle."

"Oh! ho! is it as good as the first?" and gentlemen."

"Come along, then."

So saying, Mick was brought into the great hall, where he saw his old bottle standing high up on a shelf. "Ah! ha!" says he to himself, "may be I won't have you by and by."

"Now," says his landlord, 'show us your bottle.' Mick set in on the floor, and uttered the words; in a moment the landlord was tumbled on the floor; ladies and gentlemen, servants and all, were running and roaring, and sprawling, and kicking, and shrieking. Wine cups and salvers were knocked about in every direction, until the landlord called out, "Stop those two devils, Mick Purcell, or I'll have you hanged!"

"They never shall stop," said Mick, "till I get my own bottle that I see up there at the top of that shelf."

"Give it down to him, give it down to him before we are all killed!" said the landlord.

Mick put the bottle into his bosom; in jumped the two men into the new bottle, and he carried the bottles home. I need not lengthen my story by telling how he got richer than ever, how his son married his landlord's only daughter, how he and his wife died when they were very old, and how some of the servants, fighting at their wake, broke the bottles; but still the hill has the name upon it; ay, and so 'twill be always Bottle Hill to the end of the world, and so it ought, for it is a strange story.

What Snails are Good For.

A vessel recently arrived bringing a quantity of snails from Switzerland, which excited the curiosity of the public as to what are they were intended. In the Province of France, where the vine is cultivated, snails of large size abound. They are gathered by the peasants, put in small pans for a few days, salt water thrown on them, to cause them to discharge whatever their stomachs may contain, then boiled, taken out of the shell, and eaten with a sauce.—They are considered a luxury by the vine dressers. A correspondent also says:—"Cataract on the eye is cured by applying a drop of clear water taken from the live snail, by piercing what might be termed the tail of the snail shell with a pin. This application has the effect of eating off the substance that grows over the sight of the eye. A relative of mine was thus cured; the sight of one eye was totally eclipsed, and by applying this water two or three times a day, for some time—say two or three months—the sight of the eye was restored, and remained good. This was prescribed by a physician as the last resort."

Fluid to Destroy Offensive Smells.

All metallic salts effect this object, more or less, when dissolved in water and mixed with or poured over the offensive material. The cheapest are the rough sulphate of iron, acetats of lead, and sulphate of zinc; and of these, in consequence of its low price sulphate of iron—or green copperas, as it is commonly called—is the most applicable.

Historical.

MEMOIR OF RHODE ISLAND.

1651.

This brought matters to close trial among them and the commissioners for the Massachusetts (who were Mr. Simon Bradstreet, and Mr. William Hathborne Esq'es.) made a long declaration, how Plymouth gave up their right in that land to them in 1643; which was approved of by all the commissioners, who adviced them to proceed against Gorton and his company: and had silently assented to what they had done from time to time since; and that when in 1649 they were advised to return those lands back to Plymouth their court sent two deputies to the assembly at Plymouth, with orders to offer, to "resign and submit the said lands, and persons residing thereon to the government of Plymouth they only promising to do equal justice both to English and Indians there, according to our engagements; but the government of Plymouth chose rather to ratify the aforesaid resignment of their commissioners." After which they had "out of their own treasury allowed a large gratuity of corn to the Indians under their government there, to keep them alive, the cattle of Gorton's company having destroyed most of theirs, rather than force to compel them till all other means and ways of produce for issuing these and the like differences were used." And closed with asking what aid the other jurisdictions would afford them, for the righting their injured and oppressed people, and bringing delinquents to condign punishment.—The connecticut and New Haven commissioners answered, by owning that they had their advices in 1643, to proceed against Gorton's company, and that when the Plymouth commissioners yielded up their right to the Massachusetts, the others, being neither concerned, nor understanding where the right lay, saw no cause to dissent, &c. The commissioners for their colony in 1643 in resigning of said lands to the Massachusetts, was not at all in power, neither could the Massachusetts receive any such resignation without injuring the third and sixth articles of their confederation; what right the authority of the Massachusetts had to send for Samuel Gorton and company, "inhabiting so far out of their jurisdiction they understand not." And as to what the governor of Plymouth and some others did in 1650, about, ratifying that former resignation of Warwick to the Massachusetts, they said they had "protested against it in the court of Plymouth, as being directly contrary to the order of the honorable committee of the parliament of England and contrary to the articles of confederations with the rest of the colonies.—And whereas we are informed, that the court of the Massachusetts have lately sent out several warrants to several persons not inhabiting Warwick and Pawtuxet and have made seizure upon some of their estates, we do hereby protest against such proceedings if any there be. The Massachusetts were so unwilling to have these things laid before the parliament, that they put Mr. Williams to great distresses only for attempting to take his passage through their colony.

The commissioners of Providence and Warwick, met at Providence on the 4th of November 1651 and passed the following resolutions.

Whereas it is evident and apparent that Mr. Nicholas Easton, being formerly chosen President of the province of Providence Plantations, hath of late deserted his office, and he together with the two towns upon Rhode Island, viz:—Portsmouth and Newport have declined and fallen off from that established order of civil Government and Incorporation amongst us by means of a Commission presented upon the said Island by Mr. Wm. Coddington. We, the rest of the Towns of the said jurisdiction are therefore constrained to declare ourselves, that we do profess ourselves unanimously to stand embodied and incorporated as before by virtue of our Charter granted unto us by that Honorable State of Old England, and thereby do according to our legal and settled order choose and appoint our officers, institute laws according to the constitution of the place and capacity of our present condition prosecuting, acting and executing in all matters and causes for the doing of justice, preservation of our peace and maintaining of all civil rights between our men, according to the Honorable authority and true intent of our aforesaid charter granted unto us.

At this Court there was neither President, or assistants chosen or present.—They passed some orders chiefly of a local nature.

Be not directed from your duty by any idle reflections the silly world may make upon you; for their censures are not in your power, and consequently should not be any part of your concern.

Laws of R. Island.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS.

In General Assembly January Session, A. D. 1855.

AN ACT in relation to Railroad Corporations and the transportation of freight and passengers.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

Section 1. No person shall be allowed to pass over any railroad in this State, without paying the fare established, except the stockholders going to or returning from the annual or any special meeting of said road; the directors, superintendant, treasurer, and clerk of said company, and of roads having a business connection for freight and passengers on said road; persons in charge of mails and expresses, and persons poor and in misfortune, who are unable to pay said fare, and to whom passes have been granted, and persons having by existing law or by lawful contract made prior to passage of this act a priviledged right of passage, and persons in the employment of the company, while actually engaged and employed in the business of the road: *Provided, however*, That nothing in this act shall prohibit the sale of season tickets by the quarter or other specified time at reduced rates, and the transportation of passengers at agricultural fairs and on other public occasions, of military and other organized, and the running of special trains for companies and parties of pleasure at rates established for such occasions.

Sec 2. Every railroad company doing business, or owning any railroad, wholly or in part within the limits of this State, shall furnish reasonable and proper facilities and accommodations on the line of its road, within its limits, for the transportation of passengers and merchandise.—And it shall be the duty of the railroad Commissioners to inquire and report to the General Assembly from time to time, whether such facilities and accommodations are furnished: and no railroad company shall abandon any depot or station, which is on its road, and in this State, after the same has been established for twelve months except by act of the General Assembly, but such company may establish depots or stations to be used only during such months of each year as they may designate by notice put and kept up in some conspicuous place at the depot or station so established, specifying the months during which the said station or depot will be used.

Sec 3. When merchandise is transported over any portion of two roads which form a connecting line, and the tracks of which so unite that cars can pass from one to the other, no charge shall be made for the loading or unloading, or for the carriage of the said merchandise from the cars of one of said railroads to the cars of the other.

Sec 4. When two or more Railroad Companies, or any such company or companies with any other person or persons make an agreement or arrangement whereby a connected line is formed for the transportation of merchandise said connected line, and to receive and transport all merchandise from any one of said depots or stations to any other depot or station on said connected line, which the party required to receive and transport could lawfully be required to receive and transport over any portion of said connected line, and if any damage shall occur by the loss of or injury to the merchandise so transported, or by reason of unwarrantable delay in the transportation or delivery of the same, then either of the companies over whose road the merchandise has been transported, shall be liable for the said damage to the injured party, or to his legal representative.

Sec 5. If any person or persons having lawful claims upon any railroad company for over charge for freight or passage, or for injury or loss of merchandise or for damage by unlawful or unwarrantable delay in the transportation or delivery of the same, or for injury to person, or for the refusal to transport or deliver persons or property, shall give written notice of the same, addressed to the president or treasurer, or master of transportation of said road, and delivered to either of said officers, or to any agent having charge of any depot of said company, fourteen days previous to commencing suit for the same, and if the company neglect or refuse to pay the said lawful claim, then the complainant, if he recover more than the amount (if any) tendered by said company, shall also recover reasonable compensation for his counsel's services to be allowed by the court in addition to the actual damage; and if a less amount shall be recovered than a reasonable allowance shall be made by the court for the services of the counsel of the company, to be taxed in addition to, and to be allowed with, the defendant's costs of defence as now taxed and allowed by law.

Sec 6. It shall be the duty of the president and directors of every railroad company, incorporated by the laws of this State, to maintain by their president or vice president, or an executive committee of the directors, a watchful supervision over the management of the roads.

Sec 7. If in consequence of the intoxication, or any gross misconduct or negligence on the part of any conductor, engineer, switch, or bridge or brake tender, or signal man, or other servants of such corporation, any loss of life shall result, or the breaking of a limb shall come, such servant or servants shall be deemed guilty of felony, and shall upon conviction thereof before any court of competent jurisdiction, be sentenced to imprisonment in the State prison for a term not exceeding ten years.

Sec 8. If the life of any person being a passenger, or crossing upon a public highway in the exercise of a reasonable care, shall be lost by reason of negligence or carelessness of any railroad company in the State, or by the unfitness, or negligence or carelessness of their servants or agents, such railroad company shall be liable to pay damages, to the use of the executor or administrator of the deceased person to be recovered by such executors or administrators in an action on the case upon this statute, for the benefit of the husband or widow and heirs of the deceased person, one moiety thereof to go to the husband or widow, and the other to the children of the deceased, or if there be no children the whole to the husband or widow, and if there be no husband or widow, to the heirs, according to the statute regulating the distribution of intestate personal estate.

Sec 9. Every railroad corporation shall within twenty-four hours after the occurrence of any accident, attended with serious personal injury, give notice of the same to the said Commissioners in writing, who upon receiving such notice, or upon public rumor of said accident may repair, or dispatch one of their board, to the scene of said accident and inquire into the facts and circumstances thereof; and any corporation neglecting or wilfully omitting to give the notice aforesaid shall be subject to a penalty of one hundred dollars for every day that such neglect or omission shall continue. And it shall be the duty of said commissioners, without charge, to furnish any person injured, or the friends of any person killed, any information they may have acquired in relation to any disaster, and the names of persons from whom the same was obtained, and by whom the same may be proved.

Sec 10. All suits or prosecutions for any violation of the provisions of this act, shall be commenced within six months after the cause of action shall arise.

Sec 11. The act entitled "An act in relation to cases where life is lost by the wrongful act or negligence of common carriers and others," passed at the October session of the General Assembly, A. D. 1853, is hereby repealed.

True copy—attest.

WM. R. WATSON, Secretary

We have many wants in Newport, but that which we stand most in need of is *Men*. We want men worthy of the name: men who by their usefulness and integrity will exert a beneficial influence on their associates and reflect honor on the whole community. We want more men of sterling character; men of the stamp here so favorably known a century or less ago: men who deemed it a duty to devote their intellect and worldly gains to the promotion of good works—employing the active, instructing the weak and the timid, and generously assisting the poor and distressed. We want men to extend the trade and insure the prosperity of the place; men of energy who fear not to send out their capital—small sums we know, and hardly enough for a living—lest by some unlucky move the heap of sixpences should be reduced to coppers. We want men of business of enlarged views, the result of experience in a wide field; men who can command and control transactions of importance, thereby benefiting hundreds and adding to their own gains.—We want men to fill offices of trust; men who can forego private ends to serve the public with credit to themselves and to the advancement of the whole.—We want men above party and party trammels; and, above all, severely just, it matters not what their calling or how lowly the estate. We want men who will stand when the test comes and face corruption, listening neither to the comments without nor the whisperings of private interest within. We want men who can and will sacrifice self and selfish ends for the sake of justice and the faithful rendering of the law; men who can afford to wait till the second sober thoughts of the people duly reward their firmness. We want men who can readily serve the public wherever wanted; but the office must seek the man, not the man the office. We want to see worth the standard in all our appointments, and not services rendered as a party hack the recommendation—nerve and truth the test, not availability; the free choice of the people elected, not the nominee of unprincipled leaders. We want men to represent us abroad and set an example at home; men above intrigue, true to their fellows and themselves, true to their country and their God—humbly submissive to the will of Christ, firm and decisive in the defence of right. We want men who deem it not unbecoming in them to instruct and improve the young, training their offspring in the paths of virtue and honor, by adding example unto precept. We want the rising generation to know there is something to live for in this world besides self, that there is something besides a blameless walk from the cradle to the grave; that the public requires of every man his quota, and that the strength of purpose of each will be the measure of his usefulness. Men of this stamp cannot be corrupted. They are above all littleness, all narrow and selfish views; they are worthy of the highest honor—the confidence and respect of their fellows. They possess qualities that make a man respected and esteemed, however humble and unobtrusive; and such qualities should be the distinguishing mark of every man worthy of the name.

On the 15th ult. the first train of cars through from Panama made its appearance at Aspinwall and was hailed in the most enthusiastic manner by all who had assembled there to witness the inauguration ceremonies.

In June 1850 the first ground was broken on the road, and at the end of two years, trains were first run a distance of seven miles. Year by year it has been extended, until now it reaches from Ocean to Ocean, a distance of forty-eight miles. The highest grade is fifty-three feet to the mile, the shortest curve is on a radius of six hundred feet. One train a day, except Sundays, is run through each day, and the charges are twenty-five dollars for each passenger and ten cents a pound for extra baggage.

The Aspinwall *Courier* pays the following well-merited compliment to Col. Totten, the engineer of the road, who has performed his laborious duties [illegible] accomplished, had been given up both by English and French engineers, he entered upon it with true *Yankee* alacrity and energy. For four years and a half he has supported the same alacrity and energy that were manifested at the outset. During the whole of that time he has struggled with every variety of obstacle and discouragement; his whole time and strength, mental and physical,—such as few men have, or having, know how to give,—have been given to the work, of which he has had, during most of the time, the chief superintendence."

Want of space prevented our noticing in our last, the change that has taken place in the internal arrangements of Zion Church. On Sunday the 4th inst., the church was opened for the first time of an evening since the introduction of gas, an improvement in itself that must be particularly gratifying to the congregation. The church has had a piece added to it—all that the lot will admit of—which allows of more room for the chancel; the pulpit has been removed and a small reading desk and pulpit substituted, and the walls over the altar have been painted in fresco, with the Commandments, Creed and Lord's Prayer in gilt letters. The imitation of panel-work and architectural ornaments is as fine as anything of the kind we remember to have seen, and the extension relieves in a great measure the unpleasant effects of an interior almost square.

Education and Employment.—We call particular attention to the advertisement, in another column, of "Comer's Commercial College," which has been in uninterrupted and highly successful operation in Boston, for fifteen years past, and is unquestionably the best establishment for mercantile education in this country. Mr. Comer, the principal, is an accomplished gentleman and scholar, and withal a practical Merchant and Navigator; and is assisted by talented Professors, in their several departments. The large number of his graduates for whom he annually procures eligible situations, is the best evidence of the excellence of his instruction. We know of no better place at which to educate youth of either sex.

The Gloucester fishermen are fitting out their vessels for George's Banks, to fish for cod and halibut, but not with their usual alacrity. A large amount has been invested in the business, which proves to be a very uncertain one, and the prosperity of the town and almost the entire support of a large community of eight or nine thousand persons depend upon the success of the fishing fleet. The loss of life and property on the George's is very great, and there is not a season but one or more vessels are wrecked there and all on board perish.

The steamer Perry is now undergoing repairs in Providence, preparatory to the opening of the season. In the meantime the Canonchet takes her place, and a clever little boat she appears to be, making the passage in two hours easily. She is under the command of Capt. Allen, and Mr. Stanhope, as usual, is on hand to take the change, and give tickets and a pleasant word in return.

Treatment of Curvatures of the Spine and Spinal Weakness rendered efficient and comfortable to the, patient, by the use of the Serpentine Spring Elastic Apparatus.

See the advertisement of Dr. J A Wood, in another column.

We learn through the Augusta (Ga.) *Chronicle & Sentinel*, that at the closing ceremonies for the term of the Medical College of Georgia, the Faculty recommended that the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Medicine be conferred on the Rev. A. Henry Dumont, D. D. of Newport, Rhode Island.

We understand that Capt. William Messer has been appointed Agent for the Spanish Consul for this port, and that he is prepared to furnish bills of health, &c., to vessels bound to Spanish ports in the West Indies.

The Illinois brings the gratifying news of the safety of the U. S. ship Decatur. She was at Valparaiso at last accounts.

[For the following translation of a story from the French we are indebted to one of our young townsmen.]

THE HONEST SAILOR.

A Turkish merchant had lost his purse, which contained 200 pieces of gold. He addressed himself to the public crier, whom he ordered to declare that he would give half of that sum to the one who had found it. It had fallen into the hands of a sailor, who preferred to make a lawful gain, by limiting himself to the proposed reward, rather than to render himself guilty of theft; for, by an article of the Koran, he who keeps a thing which has been lost and cried in public is declared the thief. He confesses then to the crier that he has the purse, and offers to return it on receiving half of what it contained. The merchant immediately appeared, but charmed to recover his money, tried to disengage himself from his promise. Not being able to do it without some pretext, he had recourse to falsehood. He pretended that the purse contained beside the money a very fine emerald, which he demanded from the sailor, who called heaven and the prophet to witness that he had not found the emerald.—Nevertheless he was carried before the cadi, with an accusation of theft. Either from injustice or negligence, the judge acquitted the sailor indeed from the crime of theft; but, reproaching him for having by his negligence lost a jewel so precious, he forced him to return the 200 pieces of gold to the merchant without deducting the promised reward. A sentence so hard, ruining all at once the hope and honor of the poor sailor, he carried his complaint to the vizier, who judged it worthy of his attention. Both parties were called up before him. After having heard the merchant, he demanded of the crier what he had received orders to cry. He having said that he had spoken only of the 200 pieces of gold, the merchant hastened to add, that, if he had not named the emerald, it was for fear of making known the value of that jewel. On the other hand, the sailor took an oath that he had found in the purse only the 200 pieces of gold. Finally, the vizier rendered this sentence: Since the merchant has lost an emerald with 200 pieces of gold, and the sailor swears that in the purse which he has found there was no emerald, it is manifest that the purse and the gold that the sailor has found are not that which the merchant has lost: it is some other who has lost these. The merchant can continue to cry his gold and his emerald. As to the sailor, he will keep for forty days the gold which he has found; and if the one who has lost it does not present himself during that time, he can enjoy it lawfully, as a good which belongs to him.

Cattle are dying in many part of Ohio for want of food. The Cleveland *Herald* says the destitution of fodder is greater than it has been for many winters, and everywhere the loss of cattle in consequence is severely felt. They cannot "take the papers" out in those parts, else they would learn that the East offers a most excellent market for everything in the shape of beef and mutton. Beef with us commands a shilling a pound, and mutton, by the quarter, sells at fourteen cents. The Ohio farmers, knowing this, would hardly allow their cattle to starve to death for want of food, when, by availing themselves of the various means of transportation, they could get a handsome price for their stock.

We never expect to see the day again, as of yore, when farmers went from door to door with their wagons, offering the best mutton at three cents a pound, by the whole sheep, and beef at four and five cents a pound. Those times have passed forever, and we must eat the less meat now that we have to pay so much for it. Americans, as a general thing, eat far more meat than Europeans, and more than nature requires. Once a day is quite enough for animal food, but it should always be of the best and most nutritious, and that, at this season of the year, is mutton. Stall-fed beef will not compare with that fatted when there is good pasturage, but Rhode Island mutton is as fine at this season of the year as any raised in the country, not even excepting that from the Blue Ridge Hills.

Concha, it is well known, has for some time past [illegible] military force. By so doing he thinks to prepare for any army that might otherwise overcome the Spanish troops on the island; but two can play at the same game, and the slaves once getting a taste for the lazy and (to them) important post of soldiers, will yet prove a more dangerous foe than any from without. The correspondent of the New York *Herald* says that they already begin to give evidence that they feel the power which they are most surely acquiring. They are not so ignorant as not to perceive the difference between toil with the hoe and the ornamental labor with sword and the musket; they hold life in their power where they list, and will yet demolish the barriers between the antagonistic castes.

There are political as well as physical diseases—One prevails at the present time. Instead of attacking infants, it attacks "children of a larger growth." It is called Know-nothingism. But, like the other diseases above enumerated, it delights in villages.—Its symptoms are unmistakeable. It seizes hold of all the ignorant and unlettered. It clasps in its leprous embrace all the Demagogues. It lays its unwashed hands upon all of those bitter and prejudiced Federal Whigs whose highest happiness consists in the abuse of Democracy. It attacks *some* Democrats, but they are always the mercenary, office-seeking, disappointed Democrats.

We wonder what the K. N.'s will says to this loving epistle from the Washington *Sentinel*, which was written before its friends "ignorant and unlettered," in New Hampshire, gave the gallant Frank such a back-handed lick. We know nothing of "Sam," but it does amuse us to see him put the seal pel into the old party hacks. From the above it will be seen how they flounder and kick.

Our fishermen are beginning to take Cod again freely, and the chances are that we shall not be without fresh fish in the market during the rest of the season.

To our taste the finest way to eat a cod is, to split it open, cover it with salt (and a plenty of it) in a deep pan and leave it for two or three days, or even a week, and then boil it. Or it may be taken out of the pickle, fine salt rubbed over it and hung up in a dry place for future use. The heads make a delicious chowder.

The weather during the week has been very variable, and by no means as agreeable as the previous week or two. March is very uncertain and not to be counted on except for cold, blustering winds; but there is one satisfaction left to us and that is, with March the winter generally dies out. Its winds are the last gasps of the old fellow, and soon we hope to hail the warm sun and soft breezes of an early Spring.

A correspondent of the *N. Y. Express* proposes to revive the old copper half-cent, to prevent the loss one sustains in that city by the universal practice of shaving in making change. A far better way to obviate the evil and secure a uniform currency all over the country, would be to do away with the Spanish coin altogether and confine the small change to dimes, half dimes and three cent pieces.

It is reported that parties in Shirleysburg, Penn., have obtained a patent for the preparation of maize leaf, as a substitute for tobacco. The preparation is said to have a sweet and pungent flavor, and is well calculated to answer the purpose of juvenile chewers: on the same principle, we suppose, that weak toddy paves the way to gin-cocktails and brandy-smashers.

The Artists of the Japan expedition are preparing a series of pictures, from drawings and daguerreotypes, of Japanese costumes, scenery, &c., in colors, and under the sanction of the Secretary of the Navy and Com. Perry. The impressions will shortly be ready for inspection.

The New York and Fall River line of boats now leave New York at five o'clock daily instead of four—a better hour for business men, as they can have time to accomplish that which would detain them till after she left when the hour of departure was earlier.

Cat Clocks.—M. Huc, in his new work, "The Chinese Empire," has the following:—

One day, when we went to pay a vist to some families of Chinese Christian peasants, we met near a farm a young lad, who was taking a buffalo to graze along our path. We asked him carelessly as we passed whether it was yet noon. The child raised his head to look at the sun, but it was hidden behind thick clouds, and he could read no answer there. 'The sky is so cloudy,' said he, 'but wait a moment,' and with these words he ran toward the farm, and came back a few minutes afterward with a cat in his arms,—'Look here' said he, 'it is not noon yet,' and he showed us the cat's eyes by pushing up the lids with his hands. We looked at the child with surprise, but he was evidently in earnest; and the cat, though astonished and not much pleased at the experiment made on her eyes, behaved with most exemplary complaisance. 'Very well,' said we, 'thank you'; and he then let go the cat, who made her escape pretty quickly, and we continued our route. To say the truth, we had not at all understood the proceeding; but we did not wish to question the little pagan, lest he should find out we were Europeans by our ignorance. As soon as ever we reached the farm, however, we made haste to ask our Christians whether they could tell the clock by looking into a cat's eyes. They seemed surprised at the question; but as there was no danger in confessing to them our ignorance of the properties of the cat's eyes, we related what had just taken place. That was all that was necessary; our complaisant neophytes immediately gave chase to all the cats in the neighbourhood. They brought us three or four, and explained in what manner they might be made use of for watches. They pointed out that the pupil of their eyes went on growing narrower until twelve o'clock, when they became like a fine line, as thin as a hair, drawn perpendicularly across the eye, and that after twelve the dilation recommenced. When we had attentively examined the eyes of all the cats at our disposal, we concluded that it was past noon, as all the eyes perfectly agreed upon that point.

Fall of Mont Blanc. The *Echo du Mont Blanc* publishes the following from a correspondent:—At six o'clock in the evening of the 26th of January, the summit of the mountain between the village of Magland and La Perriere, gave way and fell with a frightful crash. The commotion caused all the houses of the village to shake for more than two minutes. We thought that we were about to be swallowed up by an earthquake. When things became somewhat calm I saw a mass of stone, sand and earth surmounted by a cloud of dust, filling all the valley, and stone, earth and sand continued to fall for seven minutes. From time to time the fall recommenced, but with less noise. The first fall shook all the houses on the other side of the Avre; but it appears that no one was injured. Nearly all the trees in a wood have been broken down. The road and marsh, which are between the river and the mountain, are covered for a length of upwards of 100 yards, and a width of about 26, with stones of all sizes, and with earth to a depth of more than ten feet. It is calculated that the fall took place from near the village of Pernabs, at a height of about 500 yards. There is a probability that a further fall will take place; but it is not likely to endanger the village of Magland.

A Warning to Gas Users.—The family [illegible] perceived the smell of gas, and on examination, it became apparent that the escape was from the chamber occupied by an elderly lady. Being unable to gain access to her room, the door was burst, open, and the lady was found insensible upon the floor. By immediate efforts the lady was at length restored to consciousness, though it is thought that a few moments longer in the deleterious atmosphere would have been fatal to her. And by the timely discovery of the escaping gas it is quite probable saved not only her life, but it may be that of others in the house. The probability is that in extinguishing her light on retiring to bed, the lady was not careful to shut off the gas completely.—*Traveller*.

What is Amondtillado Sherry?—The peculiar flavour is caused by a process of fermentation, over which the growers have no control, and for which they cannot account. Sometimes only one or two butts in a vintage will be affected, and in other years none at all. Those which some mysterious influence designs for Amondtillado produce a kind of vegetable weed after having been put in the cask; it is long and stringy, like some of our fresh water weeds, but with very fine fibres, and bears a very minute white flower. Immediately after shedding these flowers the whole plant dies away, and never again appears, but it leaves that peculiar flavor. I have had this description positively stated and verified by those who have visited the Spanish wine districts.—*Note and Queries*.

Explosive Fire Wood.—A man in Portland, thinking that his wood pile was resorted to by other persons than those of his own family, inserted several charges of powder in some of the billets, and awaited the result. On Sunday morning, a boarding house keeper in the vicinity was startled by a loud report in his stove, immediately followed by a second which cracked the stove, upset the coffee pot, scalding a little girl, and throwing the boarders into consternation. Nothing was said by any one, but the gentleman's wood pile does not go off quite so fast as it did a few days since.

A Sad Chance for the Soldier.—As a newly arrived and freshly-mounted officer was riding along one of the narrow paths to the camp he called out to a man who was toiling along whith a sack of biscuit on his shoulders, the last of a long file similarly engaged, "Now, then, soldier, out of the way, if you please." The man turned his head round, and, with an expression I never shall forget, exclaimed, "Sojer, indeed! Faix, *we're* no sojers! *we'er* only poor broken down ould commissariat mules!"

Hiram Power's.—The civil and diplomatic appropriaton bill authorizes the President to give a commission to Hiram Powers for the execution of some suitable work of statuary for the Capitol, $25,000 is appropriated for that purpose.

The Military Ordered to be Under Arms. We understand that the whole of General Sanford's Division of the N. Y. State Militia have been ordered to be under arms on Saturday next (St. Patrick's Day.) *N. Y. Express, Thursday*.

Tea at Half Price.—Laysel, a French Chemist, asserts that if tea was ground like coffee before hot water is poured upon it, it will yield nearly double the amount of its exhilerating qualities.

Funeral of Poole.—The New York papers fill several columns with the account of the funeral of Poole. The Tribune says:

"For hours before the procession began to move, people assembled by thousands in all the streets and avenues leading to Poole's residence, and Christopher street was completely choked up. Not only were the streets in the neighborhood of Christopher street full, but the whole of the route over which the funeral procession was to pass in this city was thronged with an immense multitude of spectators. Windows were filled, and many were upon the roof tops and balconies. Trees and lamp posts were climbed to get a view of the procession as it passed. It is estimated that nearly one hundred thousand persons were spectators of the funeral.

The deceased was attired in a suit of black broad-cloth, and the badge of the O. U. A. was stretched across his breast. The silver plate on the coffin bore his name, age, and the time of his death. He was 31 years and 11 months old when he died. The coffin was covered with the American flag.

The pall bearers were Thomas Hyer, Alderman Drake, William Kent, Cyrus Shay, Mr. Lane, Samuel Long, and Charles Feituer. Soon after 3 o'clock the body was borne from the house, on the shoulders of the pall bearers, up Christopher street, and across to the opposite side of Hudson street, where they deposited it in the hearse. This vehicle was drawn by four white horses, with black housings, and white and black plumes. The hearse was open, and the coffin, covered with a large American flag, was exposed to view. At the head of the coffin a large gilt eagle was displayed, covered with black crape. On the outside, the hearse was decorated profusely; around the top ran a fillet of silver fringe, and the black drapery was looped up with white ribbon, and four olive wreaths on each side. Just beneath the silver fringe, on a band of black velvet, on each side of the hearse, were the following words, in silver block letters:

'I die a true American.'

The pall bearers, wearing white satin scarfs across the breast, with black rossettes upon the shoulders, stood five on each side of the hearse. The procession then formed; the different companies, wearing their badges, marched bare headed past the hearse."

Here follows a long list of the various companies and associations in the procession. Among them were the "Poole Guard," "Rynder's Guard," "Forrest Guard," several engine companies, American associations, and "chapters' of various 'orders.'

"The procession embraced in its ranks many of the prominent personal and political friends of Mr. Poole; among whom we noticed Capt James M. Turner, Capt Rynders, C. W. Schaffer, Peter H. Graham Thomas Hyer, Orville Gardner, Dandy Williams, besides a host of Mr. Poole's friends from the Ninth Ward to numerous to name. It is generally conceded that the procession contained the largest representation of the sporting fraternity which ever paraded our streets.

The liquor stores and cigar shops on the route of the procession were mostly open yesterday, and did an active business.

The Times gives the following account of the closing ceremonies:

"The remnant of the procession passing over Hamilton avenue ferry proceded direct to Greenwood. The interest manifested here was evident along the entire line of the procession. On reaching the Cemetery the coffin was taken out of the [illegible] O. U. A. helped to carry the body. Capt. Jas. M. Turner, grand marshal, then consigned the body to the Chaplin, stating that it was the wish of the family that the deceased should be buried after the rites of the Order. The Chaplin, James P Helme, then read the funeral service. The body of the deceased was then placed in the receiving vault, which terminated the obsequies.

The death of the best man in New York would hardly call out such a parade.

Baker, who is charged with firing the fatal shot, has not been arrested, although diligent search has been made for him, and the officers have been upon his traces.

Turner, who was arrested wounded and taken to the penitentiary hospital, has so far recovered as to bear transportation to the Tombs.

A policeman and a councilman have been arrested charged with aiding the escape of Baker.

Snow Bath.—During the late storm which obstructed the State Line Railroad a very amusing scene occurred. A large drift had accumulated on the track near Dunkirk, which amounted to an embargo. Superintendent Dennis was on the train, and knowing that the engine was a powerful one, he got out, saying to the passengers, by way of encouragement, that they should not be detained more than ten minutes. He gave instructions to the engineer to run back, put on all steam, and let the locomotive, with its large plow, see how far through the drift it could be made to force a passage. The engineer ran back a short distance, and Mr. Dennis, with quite a number of passengers who got off to see the fun, took their position at the side of the track, about half way between the fence and rails. The engineer having applied all steam, let the locomotive go with a rush. It made tremendous headway, the snow flying to the right and left, in such quantities, and with such force, as to completely bury the bystanders, throwing it over the fences on either side, and forcing its way through the entire drift. The superintendent and the passengers were seen, one after another, emerging from the snow bath, puffing and blowing like race horses out of breath. The affair, after all things were righted, created much amusement, as the train passed rapidly on its journey, although it was feared at the time that some had been lost in the snow.—*Buffalo Republic*.

Anecdote of the Rev. E. H. Chapin.—At Ballard's Seminary, where young Chapin was prepared for college, it was customary for the teachers to call on boys to relate some incident which had happened to themselves or occurrence which had come under their observation. It was in the spring of the year, when it is customary for farmers to have an ever supply of mutton upon the family board, that Chapin was called upon to 'tell the truth.' He rose very slowly from his seat, and quietly remarked, in answer to the teacher's request. 'It's a *positive fact*—I've lived upon mutton so long that I am ashamed to look a sheep in the face.' and sat down again amid roars of laughter from the whole school.

A New Vegetable.—It is said that the *Tannye*, or Sandwich Island potato, has been introduced into cultivation in several of the Southern States. It is described as a "delicious vegetable," and the plant is very productive. The editor of the *San Antonia Texan* says a gentleman in that vicinity raised six bushels of the article upon a piece of ground fifteen feet square.

A Noble Deed.—During the night of November 25th last, in a thick snow storm, wind blowing a heavy gale down the lake, the water chilled and making ice fast, the Canadian schooner Conductor, Capt. Hackett, struck on the bar, outside of Long Point Cut, on the Island side, beat over and filled immediately, some distance from shore, the sea making a complete breach over her, driving the crew to the rigging for safety. In the morning, at daylight, they were discovered, clinging to the wreck, by Mrs. Margaret Becker, a trapper's wife, the sole inhabitant on that end of the Island, her husband being over on the mainland. She immediately went down, abreast of the vessel, on the beach, and built a large fire of logs, made some hot tea, and prepared some food for them, in case they reached the shore, and to refresh and encourage their drooping spirits by showing them succor was promptly at hand. All that long day, with the tempest raving around her, did that heroic woman watch the poor suffering seamen clinging to the rigging of the wreck.

Just at nightfall, the Captain called to the mate, who was in the other side of the rigging, that they would all perish if they had to remain in the rigging another night, that he was going to attempt to swim ashore if he succeeded, the rest could follow him; if he drowned, they could cling on the rigging and run the chances. He leaped overboard and struck out. As he reached the under tow and backwater, his strength failing, and chilled, benumbed with cold he would certainly have been drowned, had not the woman gone to the rescue. She waded in through the surf up to her neck, grasping him and dragging him out safely. Then the balance of the crew followed him, one by one, with the same result—this noble woman breasting the sea, and meeting and dragging out each one of them as they came ashore—being, in the main, instrumental in saving the whole crew. Such noble conduct deserves more than a passing notice. She is a woman of the most humble position in life, but showed herself, on this occasion, a true heroine, and possessed of the noblest qualities of heart and soul.—*Buffalo Democracy*.

The Covent Fugitive.—Miss Bunkley, the young lady who acquire so muchnotorety by absconding from St Joseph's Nunnary at Emmettburgh, Md., a few months since, now declares that she has received an annoymous letter, written, doubtless, by "a certain Roman Catholic Priest in Baltimore," which threatens her with all sorts of imputations upon her character if she dares publish the disclosures of her convent life. It declares that when the work appears she shall receive such a lashing through the peblic prints as will make her shed tears of blood. Mr. George W. Anderson, writing to the Frederick (Md) Examiner, states that since Miss Bunkley has taken up her abode in Creagerstown, she has been visited at different times by the overseer of the convent of St Joseph, and by several of the managing sisters, all whom urged her to be silent with respect to what she had seen at St. Joseph's and return to to the convent.—*Boston Journal*.

New Ships in Warren.—We are informed that three new ships are now in this town under the hands of builders being rapidly fitted for the spring trade. Two are afloat, and one is yet on the stocks.—Each one is designed for freighting, having been constructed for capacity and speed. One was launched from the yard of Mr. Barney; and one was built for Warren citizens in Somerset, and towed round to Warren to be fitted out. The one [illegible] whose reputation for ship building does not suffer in comparison with any persons on the Atlantic coast. No place in the world is better fitted for ship building than along the shores of Narragansett Bay, and no inlet to that Bay furnishes more desirable facilities than Warren River. *Prov. Tribune*.

A letter from Scutari states that "the mortality in the different hospitals continues unabated—and in some of the rooms the average is greater than I stated in my last letter—namely, about fifty a day. At this moment there are more than 5000 patients in the hospitals here and at Cullalie, besides those on board the sick and convalescent ship in the Golden Horn. There are many more on the passage here and in the hospitals at Balaklava. To make room for other arrivals, the authorities have sent as many available men as they could find fit for duty to the Crimea."

The New Postage Law makes some important changes. All letters are to be pre-paid after the 1st of July. The rates are, for any distance not more than three thousand miles, three cents for half an ounce, and three cents additional for each additional half ounce; for any distance over three thousand miles, ten cents for half an ounce, and an additional ten cents for each additional half ounce. Drop letters are charged with one cent postage, and advertised letters one cent in addition to the postage.

Australia.—The miners of Australia are rather uneasy under the exaction of a crowd of tax-gatherers. There is a sort of 1776 spirit growing there, which will make itself one day felt. All that may save this colony to England is the complete application of the principles of self-government; or in other words, the complete abandonment of that very policy, a dogged adherance to which in 1776, cost Great Britain her favorite jewell.

George and James Steers, the celebrated yacht builders, of Twelfth street, New York, are about to construct a beautiful vessel, for the New York Yacht Club. She will be eighty-six feet long on deck, one hundred and twelve tons burthen, and sloop rigged—Her keel was laid on the 1st of March. She will be an improvement on the renowned 'America.'

Benserade, the court poet, wrote the following epitaph on the great cardinal:

Here lies, his life and labors through,
The far-famed Cardinal Richelieu;
But what brings forth my tears and sighs
Is that my pension with him dies.

Stephen Hurlbut, of Glastenbury, Ct., made thirty-seven gallons of wine last fall, from native grapes, and it needs only bottling and age to make it far superior to any foreign wine in the market.

Whalers to Arrive.—The number of whaleships to arrive at New Bedford during the present season, is about 70; to arrive at Fairhaven 11; at other ports 46.

Now is the Time to plant shade trees, those auxiliaries to health and refreshing adornments to every well cared-for homestead.

The Congregationalist and Methodist Societies, at Bristol, each propose to build new Churches the ensuing summer.

Mr Bristow, the celebrated teacher of writing, died recently at South Carolina.

Visit the Schools.—Parents and guardians should read and remember the following, which we clip from an exchange. Much of the success of a teacher depends upon the interest parents take in the schools. They should visit them often:

"You couldn't do a better thing. Your boy has the idea that you care scarcely more than a fig's value about his progress there—your girl thinks you are too busy about *more important* matters to worry about her recitations. Grammar is dry as dust to her, Geography is tedious, Arithmetic is a bore, Reading is horrid, Writing is her special abomination. If she speaks of either at the table she is hushed up—You talk of stocks and the Senatorship—of the war and free trade. The young ones learn to think their studies very small matters in comparison with yours.

But visit their school to-day Hear a lesson or two recited. Learn from their teacher what their standing is, what their weak points are, in what they oftenest fail, in what they excel. See who sits next them in the school-room. Se how they compare in personal appearance—whether they look happy and at home. If acquainted with their school habits you cannot but be interested in them, and then you cannot possibly avoid talking of them. Making *their* matters subjects of home conversation will certainly stimulate them to better efforts—make better scholars of them. By all means then visit your schools. Go alone if no one will go with you. You will always be welcomed by the teacher, unless he is a fit one to be turned off."

Cadets at Large.—The following appointments by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, are officially announced in the Union:—

Cadets appointed by the President at large for 1855.

Alexander J. McIntosh, of Georgia, son of Capt. McIntosh, of the navy.

Wm. W. McCreery, of Virginia. Father lost in the Grampus, and his uncle in the Albany.

John Birdsall, of New York. Father died in the service.

Wm. H. Marriot, Family distinguished in the military service of the country.

Dudley Riley, son of the late General Riley.

Pierce M. Butler, son of the late Col. Butler, who fell at Churubusco.

Frank Huger, son of Col Huger, United States army.

Charles S. Bowman, son of Capt. Bowman.

Robert W. Mitchell, of Pennsylvania.

James P. Martin, of Kentucky.

They have got a haunted house in Worcester. It is owned by Miss Martha Light, and has not been occupied since January last. A great crowd collected round it on Monday night, says the *Spy*, to hear the "strange noises," and a sound of diabolical revelry did arise, sure enough. There was heard the hurrying to and fro of feet, the cries of lusty goblins, and the crash of falling elements. At last Gen. Day, with his official exorcists broke upon the scene, a sudden silence occurred, and nine "spirits" issued from the house, clothed in the mortal bodies of nine very good looking, respectable young men. The next morning they were fined $3 each for making a disturbance. They stated that *they*, certainly, were not the ghosts, but had gone there for the purpose of trying to solve the mystery of Madame Rumor's story.

Under the Snow.—At the time of the snow storm of the 3d of Febuary last, two sheep on the farm of the Nathaniel B [illegible] were given up by their owner for dead, being covered up in a snow drift which filed a ditch behind a fence to the depth of 12 feet. But on the 27th, three weeks and three days after the disappearance, there being a thaw, it occurred to Mr. W. to look after their bodies, when he discovered a small hole in the snow, and upon enlarging it, the sheep were discovered in a little cavern in the snow, worn to the size of some six feet or less by the heat of their bodies. Nothing disturbed by their hermit fast of three weeks on being released they scampered off briskly to the barn, with doubtless a comfortable appetite. *Berkshire Co. Eagle*.

A teacher in a neighboring Sunday school was examining a class of little boys from a scripture catechism. The first question was, "Who stoned Stephen?" Answer. "The Jew." Second question—"Where did they stone him;" Ans. "Beyond the limits of the city." The third question, "Why did they take him beyond the limits of the city?" was not in the book, and proved a poser to the whole class; it passed from head to foot without an answer being attempted. At length a little fellow who had been scratching his head all the while, looked up and said, "Well, I don't know, unless it was to *get a fair fling at him*."

Good Fishing.—The Lynn Daily says that the fishermen of Swampscott had a great run of luck, last week. Fourteen vessels, employing 126 men were engaged, and the proceeds of their labor amounted to $5,172. The fish sold at an average of three cents a pound. The vessels draw one fifth for their part; the remainder is divided among the crew, which will make an average of $32 to each man. We learn moreover that one vessel brought in a fare on one of the days that distributed to the crew *seventeen dollars* apiece.

James Power, a shoemaker in Boston, has received intelligence from England of the death of a relative, by which he has become heir to about $60,000. Ex-senator Clemens, of Alabama, gets $30,000 by the success of a land claim allowed him by Congress, for his services in pushing it through. The Mimms will case, at Moble, involving $100,000 worth of property, has been decided in favor of his female colored servant.

The dashing 93 Highlanders, the pride of the English army, left Constantinople 800 strong, and after their arrival in the Crimea received an addition of 150 men. This gallant regiment has recently returned to Constantinople, reduced to fourteen men and five officers, though still bearing with them their glorious and unsullied banner.

Sad Accident.—John Kelmore, Rhinebeck, accidentally caused his thumb and two fingers of his right hand to be cut off this morning, at the wagon wheel factory of Link & Northrop, in this city, on the pier. He was trying to cut out a felloe, when it slipped, and his thumb and fingers were severed by a circular saw. *Albany Journal, Friday*.

A witness was called to the stand to give his testimony. Having taken his place, he turned to the bar and earnestly inquired, "Which side am I on?"

A wolf took the track of the Rock Island Railroad a few days since, and kept it till run down by the locomotive.

LATER FROM EUROPE.

The U. S. M. steamship Pacific, Capt. Nye, arrived at New York Wednesday morning, about 8 o'clock. She left Liverpool on Tuesday, Feb. 27th, and experienced heavy westerly gales the first eight days after leaving Cape Clear.

The Pacific on her outward trip, arrived at Liverpool on Friday, the 23d, at 2 o'clock, after 14 hours detention off the port in a heavy gale from the East, snowing continually.

The news by the Pacific is quite interesting. The Palmerston Ministry, within ten days from its formation, had fallen to pieces. Chanceller of the Exchequer the Home Secretary and the chief Lord of the Admirality having resigned.

The ostensible cause of their resignation was the success of Mr. Roebuck's motion for a committee to enquire into the mismanagement of the war.

It was well understood that, besides the cause specified, there were points of private disagreement which rendered it impossible for the members of the Cabinet to act together. Mr. Roebuck and his supporters have secured their committee, and rumor says they will not rest satisfied without the impeachment of "certain parties," meaning Lord Raglan and one or more of the ex-ministers. Palmerston has found great trouble in remodelling his Cabinet, and even yet the re-construction is not complete.

Lord John Russell has consented to stop a gap, by taking the Colonial Secretaryship and in the meantime, he completes his mission to Vienna. A well informed source says that the Earl of Elgin will be introduced into the new Cabinet, and a place found for him at the Board of Control,—although the published accounts assign another person to that office. The Earl of Carlisle is to be Viceroy of Ireland, with the very Irish proviso—"provided the present Viceroy would like to resign!" The new Chancellor of the Exchequor is Mr. Lewis, an untried man. There are many who believe that further and more important modifications must be made.

It is noticeable that in the parliamentary explanations, the members of the Government express hopes,—confident hopes, that the pending negotiations will lead to an honorable peace. Nevertheless none of the nations relax in their war activity. For several interesting details we refer to the report of the proceeding in the English Parliament.

The Emperor of the French, seems determined to proceed to the Crimea, to see, in person, what is going on,—and no doubt would, if he could, time his visit so as to be present at the fall of Sebastopol.—England and Austria have advised him to stay at home. His absence, would not in any case, exceed thirty days.

Russia has declared war on Sardinia. It is stated, but on the faith of obscure correspondence, that Tuscany has joined the Western alliance. Naples has not.

Affairs before Sebastopol are unchanged. A battle has been fought at Eupatoria. On the 17th Gen. Lipnandi, with a force about equal to, or perhaps a few thousand superior to the Turks, attacked them, and after four hours firing retired beyond the range of the shells from the English ships, the Turks not pursuing. Omar Pacha commanded.

Lord Raglan is said to have resigned, to avoid recall. The Earl of Lucan and some other officers have been invited to resign.

Joseph Hume is dead,—much respected and regretted.

Very inclement weather has caused suffering among the poor in England, and [illegible] A change for the better was apparent within the past few days.

The French papers mention that the city of Catania, in Italy, had been almost destroyed by an earthquake.

Death of the Emperor of Russia!

Peace Prospects considered more favorable.

The Royal Mail Steamship Africa, Capt. Harrison, has arrived at Boston.

She left Liverpool on her regular day, the 3d inst.

Her advices are consequently four days later than the Pacific. The news is of the most important and startling character.

The Emperor of Russia is dead. He expired suddenly at one o'clock, on the morning of Friday the second inst, and the event created the greatest excitement.

No details have been received but there can be no doubt of the fact as it was announced in the House of Peers by Lord Clarendon, and in the Commons by Lord Palmerston.

Surmises were afloat that he was assasinated, but it is thought he died of apoplexy after an attack of influenza.

His illness was known in England before the news of his death was received, and caused a slight rise in the funds. The effect of his death of course had not transpired when the Africa left Liverpool.

The Vienna Conference was to open on the 5th instant, and peace expectations were daily growing stronger.

From the Seat of War there is no news of the least importance.

We have a horrid story from Port Gibson, Miss., showing the lamentable effects of falling from grace. It seems that a member of the church who had been suspended had made application to be reinstated, and all the members consented except Dr. Woodward, the pastor. The excommunicated member became indignant, and while the trial was in progress, he rushed upon Rev. Dr. Woodward, and stabbed him to the heart, in front of the pulpit of the Methodist church. The reverend martyr expired instantly.

Strolling through the government foundry this morning, I was told by one of the superintendants, in his explanation of the superiority of galvanizing large plates over the old method of gilding, that in plating the dome of Isaac Church, twenty-four of the workmen had died from the effects of the mercury used in the operation, and that a much greater number had been disabled for life.

Letter from St. Petersburgh.

There is good sport in Virginia. The Spotsylvania woods are full of pigeons, and in Nicholas county, recently, a hunting darty of three or four persons killed 33 deer in three days. N. Powers, of Fayette county, Iowa, lately drove into Dubuque with a load of game, consisting of 1000 quails, 1000 prairie chickens, 100 rabbits, 8 deer, 5 wolf skins, and 2 bear skins.

A correspondent of the New York Post shows that the money given to the Collins line for the whole length of the contract would build forty strong war steamers of 1600 tons each.

Washington Irving has nearly completed a life of Gen. Washington, upon which he has been long engaged.

Mr. Graham, of Clarkamas county, Oregon, raised four hundred and ten bushels of potatoes from the plant of ten bushels.

Brighton Market. Thursday last

...market 825 Beef Cattle, 100 Stores, 13 pairs ...ing Oxen, 57 Cows and Calves, 1600 Sheep ...ambs, and 900 Swine.

...—Beef Cattle—Extra $9a9,25; 1st quality ...second $8; third $7a7,50; ordinary $6,50 ...—$5,50a6 per cwt. Tallow $8,50a9. ...—$1a1,25. Calf Skins—10a11c per lb. ...Calves—$5, 5,50a6. ...—Yearlings—$11a15. Two years old, ...Three years old $36a52. ...ing Oxen—$100, 120, 136, 150a165. ...and Calves—$19, 21, 24, 26, 27, 30, 35, 40

...and Lambs—Extra $7, 7,50,8a9. By lot, ...3, 4a50. ...—4½a5½c; retail 5½a6½c. Fat Hogs 5½.

New York Grain Market.

...Wheat market continues very firm, but ...mand being limited to the actual necessi... of the trade, the transactions have been lim... since our last: sales of White Canada at ...; White Pennsylvania, $2,55; White ...een, $2,28a$2,35; and Red North Carolina, ... Rye is very scarce, and prices tend up... sales at $1,37 a $1,40 for Jersey and ...hern. Barley is also scarce. Oats continue ...ive request—supply light. The receipts of ... have been very light, and, an advance of ...one cent has been established; sales within ...nge of 94 a 98 cents, as in quality.

New Bedford Oil Market.

...—The market for Sperm continues firm ...at which price 100 bbls have been sold. ...—The activity noticed in our last has ...ued through the week, and prices have fur... advanced. The transaction include sales of ...bbls in lots, ranging from 63 to 65c, accord... to quality. The market closes firm, holders ...ipate an advance upon the highest quota... In Fairhaven, sales amount to 886 bbls ...at 62 a 63 and 1500 bbls at 65c.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.

MARCH, 1855.	Sun rises	Sun sets	Moon rises	High water
Saturday,	6 9	6 9	sets.	7 9
Sunday,	6 7	6 10	6 57	8 0
Monday,	6 6	6 11	8 11	8 49
Tuesday,	6 4	6 12	9 24	9 38
Wednesday,	6 2	6 13	10 35	10 28
Thursday,	6 0	6 14	11 45	11 18
Friday,	5 59	6 15	morn.	morn.

...w Moon, 18th day, 0 hour, 2 m. morning.

Special Notices.

WANTED.

...N ACTIVE and intelligent Boy, to learn the Printing Business. Apply at
...arch 17 THIS OFFICE.

Sick-Headache.

Clinton, Ct., Oct. 12, 1851.

...ev. A. B. L. Myers: Dear Sir—I have suf... very much with the Sick-headache for fif... years: there was scarcely a week but what I ... obliged to give up my work; but by acci... I became acquainted with your valuable ...tract of Rock Rose, and have used one bottle. ...as completed a cure. I have not been troubled ...h the complaint since, and I think it has other... improved my health very much. Yours, ...th respect. AUGUSTA CARLTON.

Agents for Newport, E. B. IRISH and C. G. ...ANDY.

When Machaon, the Greek Physician was slain, ...mer said of him, "a good Physician is worth ...much as a whole army." Then a good medi...e like *Ayer's Cathartic Pills*, is worth a great ...al more, because it cures as well, works wider, ...d lasts longer. The circle of the best Physi...n's labor must be narrow, while such a remedy ...available to all—can be had by every body, ...d is worth having.

DIED.

In this city, 10th inst., Miss LYDIA SHAW, eld... daughter of Mr James W. Shaw, aged 14 yrs.

In this city, 16th inst, WM. C. STODDARD, aged ... years. Funeral on Sunday afternoon imme...iately after divine service, from the residence of ...is father in Spruce street. Relatives and friends ...e invited to attend without further notice.

In this city, 16th inst, Mrs. SARAH MOORE, ...idow of the late Mr. John Moore, in the 77th ...ar of her age.

In Portsmouth, 15th inst., MARY L., wife of ...n Almy, in the 34th year of her age.

In Bristol, 7th inst., JOHN HENRY, son of Chris...n Fearing, aged 4 years; 9th, MARIA T., daugh... of William H. Clinton, of this city aged 4 yrs.

In Providence, 4th inst., OLIVER P. TURNER, ...ged 40 yrs; WILLIAM D. WILLIAMS, son of Caleb ...Williams Esq., of Cranston, aged 35 years; 7th, ...LIZABETH CONGDON, wife of Jonathan Congdon, ...ged 87 years; 9th, HENRY JUDSON, eldest son of ... Blake, aged 8 years and 3 months.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

—ARRIVED.—

TUESDAY, March 13.—Brig Sheet Anchor, Crocker, from Wilmington, NC, for Boston via Holmes' Hole. Left the latter place on the 9th. On Saturday, at 3 A. M., Cape Cod bearing South by East, distant 20 miles, took a gale from the Northeast. Lost jibboom, foretopmast, foreyard, all head sails, rigging, &c. Also part of deck load of naval stores. Vessel leaking badly, requiring both pumps to keep free.

Bark Gem, Hammond, Phil for Boston.

Schr Wilmington, from New York for Newburyport, with sails split, and loss of deck load of molasses; M C Terbell, Taylor, Prov for Phil; J Freeman, Freeman, Portland for Va; Juana, Baker, N Y for Portland; Hannah D, Nickerson, F River for N Y; David Crockett, Chace, New Bedford for do; Mary J Elliott, Lambert, Prov for Va; Daniel Vaughan, ———, fm Prov.

WEDNESDAY, March 14.—Schr New York, Goodsell, N York for Boston; J Y Mason, Dyer, Boston for Norfolk; Eastern Light, Lecomte, do for Va; Lalla Rookh, Ledlock, Provincetown for do; Grey Hound, Nye, do for do; Antelope, Freeman, Cohasset for do.

Sld 14th, brig Random, Crane, for Cuba

MEMORANDA.

Sld from Marseilles 13th ult, bark Regatta, Taylor for Messina.

Ar at Cardenas 6th, bark Saranac, Bigley, fm Wilmington; 26th ult, brig Ellen Hayden, Howard, do.

Arr at Havana 27th ult, bark Express, Boss, from New York; sld 1st, sch W J Arthur, Hammond, for Mobile; 7th, brig S P Brown, Freeman, for Cardenas.

Cld at Georgetown, SC, 3d, brig John Balch, Rose, for a Northern port.

Cld at Savannah 8th, brig R B Lawton, Gardner, for Havana.

Ar at New Orleans 2d, sch I P Hazard, Saunders, fm Attakapas.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE OR TO LET,
and possession given 1st of April.



The estate which has been long and widely known as the High Street House has been put in complete order. The house is well calculated for either a Boarding House or Summer residence. It possesses advantages which are seldom found in one estate of the kind, having a piazza on the first and second stories, and other conveniences attached to the property. The lot on which it stands is large, and well furnished with fruit trees and shrubbery.

For further particulars apply to
March 17. NATHAN HAMMETT.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Newport Historical Society will be holden on Monday evening, March 19, 1855, at 7½ P. M., at the room in the Masonic Hall.

A punctual attendance of the members is requested.
March 17. WM GILPIN, Sec'ry.

New Music.

NOW open at Ward's the largest assortment of Music ever offered for sale in this city. I have also made arrangements with all the most popular publishers, to furnish me with the most valuable publications as soon as issued.
A. J. WARD,
March 17 99 Thames st.

Shirt Fronts—Linen Shirt Fronts and wristbands, at
March 17. J. H. HAMMETT'S.

Mohair Head Dresses of new patterns, at
March 17 J H HAMMETT'S.

Remnants of Jaconet Cambrics at 12½ cts per yard, at
March 17 J H HAMMETT'S.

Remnants—1 more case of remnants of Calico at 8 cts per yard, at
March 17 J H HAMMETT'S.

New Advertisements.

Ward Lists.

THE Ward Lists as made out by the Mayor and Aldermen are posted up in the several places named, viz:

FIRST WARD.
J. G. Topham's Store, Thames Street,
Charles Green's Store, Bridge Street,
Samuel Young's Store, Washington Street,

SECOND WARD.
E. D. Bedee's Store, Thames street,
Anthony & Oman's Market, Washington-sq.,
Cornell & Dennis' Store Broad street.

THIRD WARD,
Post Office, Thames street,
Brick Market, Thames street,
John C. Ailman's Store, Spring street.

FOURTH WARD.
R. I. Union Bank Entry, Thames street,
Telegraph Office, Thames street,
Thomas Spooner's Store, John street.

FIFTH WARD.
Entrance to Coddington Mill, Thames street,
Clark H. Burdick's Store, Thames street,
William S. Cranston's Store, Spring street,

The Mayor and Aldermen will meet at their Chamber in the City Hall, on Monday the 19th day of March inst., at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to correct the lists.

Those persons who are not marked as qualified on the Lists, should attend at that time and place and show their right to be put on the voting lists, if they have any.

March 17. B. B. HOWLAND, City Cl'k.

DANIEL,
A Sacred Cantata,
IN THREE PARTS,
Will be performed in the
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
On Evening, March

Personations:

QUEEN,
SISTER OF AZARIAH,
AZARIAH,
DANIEL,
KING,
HERALD,
PRESIDENTS,
CHORUSES OF PRINCES.

Choruses of Israelites, Assyrians and Persians.

To commence at 7½ o'clock.

Tickets of admission 15 cents, including LIBRETTO, a book of sixteen pages, which may be obtained at the book stores, and at Tilley's Newspaper Depot.

☞ To avoid the unpleasant rush, the number of tickets will be limited to the accommodations of the house, and NONE *will be sold at the door.*

March 17.

Carpetings.

F. LAWTON & BROTHERS, 74 Thames st., are now receiving New Carpetings for the spring trade, and invite the attention of purchashers to their choice selection of the various grades—among them are elegant patterns in *VELVET, TAPESTRY, and BRUSSELS,* *Three Ply and Superfines,* together with a good assortment of *CANTON MATTINGS, HEMP,* and all the lower qualities of *WOOLEN CARPETS*—all of which are offered at the *greatly reduced prices,* of the present season. March 17.

Grass Seeds.

100 Bushels Mowed Timothy,
75 " reaped "
2500 lbs Clover,
200 bushels Borden seed
50 bags Red Top now on hand and for sale by
March 17. J H & G W PERRY.

Guano.—25 tons more of that Peruvian Guano, for sale by
March 17. J H & G W PERRY.

Court of Probate, Tiverton, March 5, 1855.

JOSEPH FULLER Jr., guardian of *LYDIA A. FULLER & ISRAEL FULLER,* minor children of the said Joseph Fuller, of Tiverton, presents to this Court a petition, praying that he may be empowered to sell the interest of his said Wards in certain real estate situated in said Tiverton and invest the proceeds thereof in other and more productive property. And said Petition is read and received and referred to a court of Probate to be holden at the town Hall in said Tiverton on the first Monday of April next at 1 o'clock P. M. for consideration, and it is ordered that notice thereof be published three successive weeks in the Newport Mercury. Attest,
March 17. ASA GRAY, Prob. Cl'k.

Court of Probate, Newport, March 12, 1855.

WM. C. TOWNSEND administrator, presents his first administration account on the estate of *WILLIAM COGGESHALL,* late of Newport, deceased, for allowance.—The same is received and referred for consideration to a court of probate to be holden at the city clerk's office in Newport on Monday, the 9th day of April next at 10 o'clock A. M. Notice is ordered to be given thereof for three successive weeks in the Newport Mercury, that all persons interested may appear at said time and place and be heard thereon.
March 17 B. B HOWLAND, Probate Cl'k.

Court of Probate, Newport, March 12, 1855.

ELIZABETH L. ANTHONY Executor presents her executrix account on the estate of *DAVID G. ANTHONY,* late of Newport deceased for allowance. The same is received and referred for consideration to a court of probate to be holden at the city clerk's office in Newport on Monday the 9th day of April next at 10 o'clock A. M. Notice is ordered to be given thereof for three successive weeks in the Newport Mercury that all persons interested may appear at said time and place and be heard thereon.
March 17. B. B. HOWLAND, Prob. Cl'k.

Court of Probate, Newport, March 12, 1855.

THE widow and heirs of *JAMES SHAW,* late of Newport deceased intestate, make application in writing to this court praying the court to appoint Samuel S. Peckham, or some other suitable person administrator on said estate.—The same is read, received and referred for consideration to a court of probate to be holden at the city clerk's office in Newport on Monday the 9th of April next at 10 o'clock A. M. Notice is ordered to be given thereof for three successive weeks in the Newport Mercury that all persons interested may appear at said time and place and be heard thereon.
Mch 17. B. B. HOWLAND, Prob. Cl'k.

Court of Probate, Newport, March 12th, 1855.

ROUSE P. GARDNER makes application in writing to this court praying for certain reasons therein stated that he or some suitable person may be appointed administrator on the estate of *JANE CARD,* late of Newport deceased intestate, the same is received and referred for consideration to a court of Probate to be holden at the city clerk's office in Newport, on Monday, the 9th day of April next, at 10 o'clock A. M. Notice is ordered to be given thereof for three successive weeks in the Newport Mercury, that all persons interested may appear at said time and place and be heard thereon.
March 17. B. B. HOWLAND, Prob. Cl'k.

NEW
PAPER HANGINGS.

NEW PATTERNS.
PARLOR,
HALL,
DINING ROOM,
CHAMBERS, &c.,
With or without Borders.
—ALSO—
Window and Fire-Board Paper—for sale at
JAMES HAMMOND'S
Dry Goods, Book Store, and Circulating Library. March 17.

NEW BOOKS.

A Long Look Ahead, or the first stroke and the last, by A S Roe, author of Jas Mountjoy,
Leila Ada, the Jewish Convert, by Osborn W Trenery Heighway.
Scenes in our Parish, by a "Country Parson's" Daughter,
Notes on Duels and Duelling by Lorenzo Sabine,
Rhode Island Repudiation; or the History of the Revolutionary Debt of Rhode Island, by John W Richmond,
Don Juan in sixteen cantos, by Lord Byron,
Evening Exercises for every day in the year, by William Jay.
For sale by C. E. HAMMETT, Jr.,
March 17. 124 Thames st.

Spring styles of M. de Laines and Prints, just received at
J. H. HAMMETT'S,
March 17. 85 Thames st.

AUCTION SALES.

Will be sold at Auction on WEDNESDAY, March 21st, at 10 o'clock, at the Broad St. House.

BEDS and Bedding, Bedsteads, Tables, Chairs, Carpets, Looking Glasses, 1 sett of Mahogany Carved Chairs, and other articles.
March 17.

Will be sold at Auction, on Saturday, March 24th, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

IN THREE EQUAL SECTIONS, about 80 feet of the lower Market, commencing at the East end. The building to be removed within ten days after sale.

Also, immediately after the above sale, the Brick market will be let for one year from March 25th.

Conditions, restrictions, &c., made known at the time and place of sale and letting.
March 17, 1855.

Will be sold at public Auction Tuesday, March 20th at 10 o'clock A. M. (if fair, if not, the next fair day) at the Hall Farm, in Middletown.

TWO pair of Working Oxen, seven Cows, one Horse, one Sow and pigs, fifty Hens, about 90 bushels Corn, 75 bushels Oats, three Stacks of Hay, one Ox-cart, one Horse-waggon and harness, farming tools &c.
NANCY WHITMAN, } Adm'rs.
CHARLES WHITMAN, }
March 10, 1855.

Will be Let at Public Auction on the 1st of May, 1855, to the highest bidder:

THE HOUSE now occupied by Peter Robinson in Levin street. Said House has been fitted up in the best manner as a Boarding House with good basement, cellar and kitchen.

Conditions.—Possession to be given on the 1st of June, 1855, and the rent to be paid in advance, or good security given for the payment.
CHARLES HARRIS.
Newport, Feb 24.—ts

Miscellaneous.

ASSESSMENT.

PROVIDENCE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.

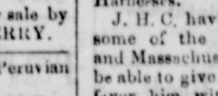
THE Board of Directors of this company having ordered an assessment of one per cent on the premium notes, notice is hereby given that it will be received at the office, No. 20 North Main st., every day (Sundays excepted) from Thursday, March 1st, to Friday, March 20th, inclusive.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE BAKER, Treas.
Providence, Feb. 15, 1855.

Section 19th of the charter provide that all sums assessed shall be paid to the Treasurer within 30 days from the time that they are made payable; in default of which a sum equal in amount shall be added thereto; and a delay of 60 days more shall forfeit their insurance.

The subscriber being the duly authorized agent of said company will attend to the collection of the above mentioned assessment at the counting room of F. Lawton & Brothers, from 9 o'clock in the morning till 1 P. M., and form 2 till 6 in the afternoon until the 1st day of April, afterwards a collector will be employed whose fees will be added to the assessment, to save the trouble and expense of which, it is earnestly requested that those interested will call and pay within the prescribed time and bring change with them for all sums under one dollar.
March 10. EDWARD W. LAWTON.

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N. B. Persons can rely on the promptness of this establishment.
March 3, 1855—1y.

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JUST RECEIVED AT
T. C. MUMFORD'S,
No. 173 THAMES ST.
March 3.

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Cashmere Long Shawls, with colored and white centres for sale by
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March 10. 106 Thames st.

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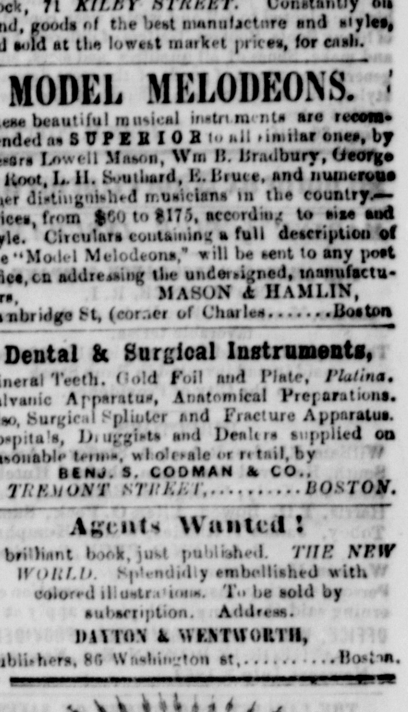
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Dartmouth, March 8, 1855.—3w

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WM. W. HAZARD,
Feb 8. Bellevue House.

FOR SALE.

TWO FARMS situated in Middletown, known as the "Sweet Farm," and the "Borden Wood Farm," now occupied by Wm. B. Sisson. The former contains 75 acres and the latter 100 acres. apply to W. W. HAZARD, Agent,
March 10. Bellevue House.

FOR SALE.



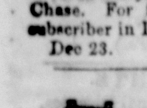
A SECOND-HAND Lumber Wagon in good running order, and will be sold low. Apply to
Jan 20. CHARLES WILLIAMS.

FOR SALE.

THE SUBSCRIBER will sell his lot of land lying in Middletown, about four miles from Newport. Said lot contains about twenty-two acres of good land and well watered, and is bounded Northerly on land formerly of Richard K. Randolph; Easterly on a highway called Gypseen Lane; Southerly on land of the late Peckham Anthony, and Westerly on land of Susan Chase. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber in Portsmouth.

Dec 23. ABRAHAM ANTHONY.

FOR SALE.



THE WINSLOW ESTATE, with a Dwelling House on Greene street, and the lot fronting on Pelham st. For terms apply to

Newport, july 15, 1854. GEO. BOWEN.

BANK SHARES FOR SALE.

FOUR SHARES of the Bank of Rhode Island for sale. Apply to the Cashier. nov 4.

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A LOT OF LAND containing about 1½ acres on the West side of the main road and opposite the residence of Henry Gould. For term apply to

July 15. GEO. BOWEN.

TO LET.



The North Wing of the Rhode Island Union Bank building—consisting of 3 stories and a good cellar. Immediate possession given. Apply at the bank to the

Dec 30. *CASHIER.*

Lumber Yards.

LUMBER.

THE SUBSCRIBERS having purchased the stock and leased the wharf of the well-known stand for the past forty years as

HAMMETT'S LUMBER YARD,

would take this method of informing the public that it will be continued under the same name, and extending the invitation to past patrons of the establishment and to all others who may need materials of kinds usually kept at such an establishment to call, assuring such that no pains will be spared to accommodate, and on as liberal terms as at any other establishment.

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july 15, 1854.—tf

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J. M. K. SOUTHWICK.

Newport, Nov. 25, 1854.

Boots & Shoes.

NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm of Clark Burdick & Co, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons having unsettled accounts with said firm will please to present the same to Clark H Burdick, who is fully authorized to settle the same.

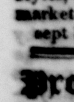
CLARK BURDICK.

Newport, Dec 30, 1854.

The subscriber having purchased the interest of Clark Burdick in the late firm of Clark Burdick & Co, will continue the business of Boot & Shoe manufacturing at the old stand, No. 275 Thames street.

Dec 30. C. H. BURDICK.

Boots and Shoes.



THE SUBSCRIBER having replenished his stock of fashionable Boots and Shoes, begs leave to call the attention of his friends and the public to the various articles in his line adapted to fall and winter wear, consisting of heavy Boots, Bootees, Gaiters of different kinds and make, Shoes of all qualities and sizes, and a general assortment of goods of the most desirable styles, all of which are offered at the lowest market rates.

sept 30.—tf JOHN N. POTTER.

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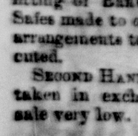
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Newport, July 3, 1852.

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SECOND HAND SAFES.—A few of other makers, taken in exchange for those of our make, for sale very low.

E. F. MILLER,
E. F. MILLER, Jr.

Providence, R. I., Sept 2, 1854.—1y

Legal Notices.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS.

In General Assembly, January Session, A. D. 1855

UPON the petition of Wm. P. Bateman and others, praying for an act of incorporation under the name of "Nonquet Company," for the purpose of removing obstructions in Puncatese Pond in Tiverton;

Voted and Resolved, That said petition and the act accompanying the same be continued to the Session of the General Assembly to be holden at Newport on the last Tuesday of May next, and that the petitioners cause notice of the pendency thereof to be given by causing a copy of this vote to be published for three weeks successively next after the rising of the General Assembly at its present session, in some newspaper printed in the city of Newport.

A true copy—attest,
WM. R. WATSON,
March 10.—3w Secretary of State.

Court of Probate, Newport, March 5, 1855.

JOHN FREEBORN, Guardian of *WILLIAM JAMES CAHOONE*, a minor son of James B. Cahoone, late of Newport, deceased, presents his guardianship account on said estate for allowance. The same is received and referred for consideration to a Court of Probate to be holden at the City Clerk's office, Newport, on Monday, the 2d day of April next, at 10 o'clock A. M. Notice is ordered to be given thereof for three successive weeks in the Newport Mercury, that all persons interested may appear at said time and place and be heard thereon.

March 10. B. B. HOWLAND, Prob. Cl'k.

Court of Probate, Newport, March 5, 1855.

RICHARD SHAW, Executor, presents his first account on the estate of *DIANA FLAGG*, late of Newport, colored woman deceased, for allowance. The same is received and referred for consideration to a court of probate to be holden at the city clerk's office in Newport on Monday, the 2d day of April next at 10 o'clock A. M. Notice is ordered to be given thereof for three successive weeks in the Newport Mercury, that all persons interested may appear at said time and place and be heard thereon.

March 10. B. B. HOWLAND, Prob. Cl'k.

Court of Probate, Newport, February 26, 1855.

DANIEL L. HAZARD, Administrator with the will annexed on the estate of *MARY HAZARD*, late of Newport, single woman deceased, presents his account on said estate for allowance. The same is received and referred for consideration to a court of probate to be holden at the city clerk's office in Newport on Monday, the 26th day of March next at 10 o'clock A. M. Notice is ordered to be given thereof for three successive weeks in the Newport Mercury, that all persons interested may appear at said time and place and be heard thereon.

March 3 B. B HOWLAND, Probate Cl'k.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

THE SUBSCRIBERS hereby give public notice that they have been by the Court of Probate of Middletown, appointed administrators on the estate of

JOHNSON WHITMAN,

late of Middletown, deceased, and have accepted of said trust and qualified themselves according to law; they therefore request all persons having claims against said estate to present them for settlement, and all those indebted to make payment to them.

NANCY WHITMAN,
CHARLES WHITMAN, } Admr's.

March 3.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

THE SUBSCRIBER hereby gives public notice that he has been by the Court of Probate of Portsmouth appointed Administrator on the estate of *PELEG HEADLEY*, late of Portsmouth, deceased, and has accepted of said trust and qualified himself according to law. He therefore requests all persons having claims against said estate to present them for settlement and all those indebted to make payment to him.

SAMUEL HEADLEY, Adm'r.

Portsmouth, March 10, 1855—3w.

COMMISSIONERS NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED hereby give notice that they have been appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the town of Portsmouth, Commissioners to receive and examine the claims against the estate of

WILLIAM HENRY GARDNER,

late of Portsmouth, deceased, and hereby give notice that six months from the 16th day of February instant are allowed the creditors of said estate to bring in and prove their claims, and that we will receive claims at our respective dwellings and that we will hold a final meeting at the house of Jonathan Dennis in said Portsmouth on Thursday, August 16th, 1855, at one o'clock P. M., for the purpose of receiving and examining claims against said estate.

JONATHAN DENNIS,
JOSEPH THOMAS,
JOSEPH B. CORY, } *Commissioners.*

The undersigned hereby gives notice that he has been appointed Administrator on the estate of said William Henry Gardner, deceased, (intestate) and has accepted said trust and qualified himself according to law, he therefore calls upon all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment to him.

LORENZO D. TALLMAN, Adm'r.

Feb 24, 1855—6w.

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.

THE SUBSCRIBER, hereby gives public notice that he has been by the Hon. Court of Probate of Portsmouth appointed Guardian of the persons and estates of the minor children of *SAMUEL H. DYER*, late of Portsmouth, deceased, viz: Alice Ann, Mary Elizabeth, Martha F., Charles H. and Samuel H. Dyer, minors, under the age of 14 years, and has accepted of said trust and has qualified himself according to law. He therefore requests all persons having claims against said minors to present them for settlement and those indebted to make payment to him.

JONATHAN DENNIS, Guardian.

Feb 24, 1855—6w.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

THE SUBSCRIBER hereby gives public notice that he has been by the Court of Probate of the town of Portsmouth appointed Executor of the last will and testament of *BENJAMIN ALMY*, late of Portsmouth, deceased, and has accepted of said trust and qualified himself according to law. He therefore requests all persons having any demands against said deceased estate, to present them to Richard Sherman, of Portsmouth, for settlement, and those indebted to make payment to said Richard Sherman.

BENJ. ALMY, of New Bedford, Executor.

Feb 24, 1855—6w.

Assignee's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED having received an assignment of all the estate of Nathaniel Monroe, of Philadelphia, for the benefit of his creditors, hereby gives notice to the creditors of said Monroe to bring in and prove their respective claims within six months from the date hereof.

WM. P. SHEFFIELD,

Newport, Jan 15, 1855. (m10) Assignee.

Assignee's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED having received an assignment of all the estate of David Maxim, of Newport, trader, for the benefit of his creditors, hereby gives notice to the creditors of said Maxim to bring in and prove their respective claims within six months from the date hereof.

WM. P. SHEFFIELD,

March 5, 1855. (m 10) Assignee.

Wood & Coal.

LYKEN'S VALLEY COAL.

THE SUBSCRIBER has a supply of the Coal which was introduced and gave general satisfaction last year. I can confidentially recommend the above to be of excellent quality easy to kindle, quite free from slate, and with an economical coal to the customer.

CHARLES WILLIAMS,
july 22. Williams' Wharf.

COAL! COAL!! COAL!!!

THE SUBSCRIBER is prepared to furnish his customers with Lyken's Valley, Gold Mine and Red and White Ash prepared Coals, as usual at the lowest possible prices, from his wharf foot of Mary street.

—ALSO—

Walnut, Maple, Oak and Pine Wood.

sept 9. WM. J. SWINBURNE.

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THE SUBSCRIBER has on hand a supply of very handsome Pine Wood; also a few cords of that very handsome Hickory and Oak Wood as usual, all of which can be sawed by machinery at lower rates than otherwise. Also Lyken's Valley, Lehigh, Red Ash, White Ash and Dauphin Coals at the lowest market prices.

Dec 30 CHARLES WILLIAMS.

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OF
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GROCERIES.

NEWTON BROTHERS, offer at wholesale and Retail the following Fresh stock of Choice Family Groceries, just Received by the Rienzi:

200 Bbls Superfine and Extra Flour,
50 Bbls Extra Flour in Bags,
150 Bags Buckwheat of extra quality,
5 Tierces New Rice,
75 Packages Choice Dairy Butter,
100 Boxes Prime Cheese,
50 Packages Green and Black Teas,
25 Boxes Havana Sugar,
50 Bbls Stewart's Refined and Crushed Sugar,

ALSO—Almonds, Figs, Prunes, Guava Jelly, Orange Marmalade, Preserved Ginger, &c., &c.

LIKEWISE—A general assortment of **Pure Liquors and Choice Wines**, for Mechanical and Medical puspose. Dec 16.

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RAISINS in Kegs and Whole; 1-2 1-4 Boxes Prunes, Dates, Figs, Citron. Dried Apples and Peaches, at STANTON'S,
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YOUNG'S,
March 10. Parade corner.

1000 bags Buckwheat just recev'd and for sale low by.
March 10. J. H. & G. W. PERRY.

Bag Flour for sale by
March 10. J. H. & G. W. PERRY.

Traveling Directory.

OLD COLONY & FALL RIVER RAILROAD.

On and after Monday, *October* 2, 1854, Passenger Trains leave Boston for Dorchester, 7 30, 8 30, 10 A M; 1, 2, 2 30, 3, 4 45, 5 45, 6, 9 15, PM, Quincy, S. Braintree, 7 30, 8 30, 10 A. M; 2, 2 30 4 45, 5 45, 9 15 P M.
Bridgewater 7 30, A M; 2, 4 15, 5 15, 5 45, P M
Fall River 7 30, A M; 2, 4 15, 5 15, P. M.
Plymouth 8 30, A M; 2 30, 4 45, P. M.
C. C. and Fair Haven 7 30, A M; 2, 4 15. P. M.

Trains for Boston leave—
Plymouth 7, 9 15, A. M.; 3 15, P. M.
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Bridgewater 6 45, 7 14, 8 18, A. M.; 12 52, 3 26, 4 38, P. M.
S. Braintree, 6 30, 7 28, 8 10, 10 27, A. M.; 1, 1 42, 4 26, 5 26, P. M.
Dorchester 6 50, 7 54, 8 14, 8 34, 10 13, 10 48, A. M.; 1 25, 2 09, 4 47, 5 09, P. M.

At the above hours, or on the arrival of Trains.

☞ Trains leave Myrick's for Fall River at 7 45 A. M., from New Bedford. Leaves Fall River at 5 30 P M. for New Bedford.

The 7 15 A. M. Train from Fall River and the 4 15 P. M. Train from Boston will not stop at E. and W. Bridgewater, Keith's Furnace, Campello, nor at Stations North of Randolph.

Boston for Milton at 8 45 A. M.; 1, 3, 6, P. M.
For Boston at 6 37, 8 and 10, A. M.; 1 55 and 4 55, P. M.

Boston, Oct. 14. 1854. GEO. HAVEN, *Sup't.*

BAY STATE LINE OF STEAMERS.

EMPIRE STATE, Capt. Benj. Brayton, leaves Fall River for New York on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, on arrival of 5 15 train from Boston. Returning leaves New York, at 4 P. M. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

BAY STATE, Capt. Brown, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. From New York Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Both Boats touch at Newport each way, for New York at 8½ P M. and Fall River at 3 A. M.

NOTICE.
NEWPORT & PROVIDENCE.
NEW ARRANGEMENT.



On and after Monday, September 18th, 1854, the steamer PERRY, Capt. WOOLSEY, will make but one trip a day between Newport and Providence, leaving Newport at 8 A. M., and Providence at 2 P. M., connecting at Providence with midday trains to and from Boston, Worcester, New Bedford, &c.

FARE 75 CENTS EACH WAY.

sept 16, 1854.

Stoves, &c.

STOVES & TIN WARE.

CONSTANTLY ON HAND the Metropolitan, (which never fails) Roger Williams, Metropolis, and various other Cook Stoves. Parlor, Cook, Fanny Fern, Albion, Air-Tight and other Parlor Stoves. Tin, Sheet Iron, Britannia and Glass Ware. Grates, Linings, &c., at 120 Thames st., opposite Finch & Engs' by

nov 11. T. P. MESSER.

TAKE NOTICE.

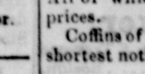
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W. BROWNELL.

Jan. 1, 1852.

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FURNITURE.



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ALSO

MATRESSES, FEATHER BEDS, &c.

All of which will be sold at the lowest market prices.

Coffins of all descriptions manufactured at the shortest notice.

COTTRELL & BRYER,
Sept. 9, 1854.—1y 37 Church st.

Chair Manufactory.

THE SUBSCRIBER has taken the Hall over Mr. THOMAS STANHOPE'S store, corner of Thames street and Bannister's Wharf, directly opposite NEWTON BROTHERS, and is prepared to manufacture all kinds of Chairs in the best possible manner, and on as reasonable terms as at any establishment in this or any other State. He keeps constantly on hand every variety of Chairs, and at prices to suit the purchaser.

Cane and Flag Seat Chairs, repaired, repainted, gilded, &c. SAMUEL J. MARSH.

Newport, July 15, 1854.—tf

Carpentering.

STEAM MILL.

THE SUBSCRIBERS wish to call the attention of their friends and the public generally to their Establishment on Tanner street, where they keep on hand and are constantly making Window frames, Sashes, Blinds, Doors and Fence capping, and Mouldings of every description. Plaining and Sawing of all kinds, such as Joist, Plank, Boards and Clapboards. All Work warranted.

Orders left with Messrs. FINCH & ENGS, will insure attention.

GIDEON LAWTON & CO.

Newport, Sept. 4, 1852.—1

BLINDS! BLINDS!!

READY MADE and made to order at the following prices:—

8x10	$1,50
8x12	1,62
9x13	1,70
10x14	1,75
10x15	1,85
10x16	1,95

Jan 6. S. MOFFITT.

DOORS, SASHES & BLINDS.

THE SUBSCRIBER has on hand a large assortment at the lowest prices, at No, 3 & 5 Sherman street.

sept 23. SIMON MOFFITT.

Boston Advertisements.

CARPETINGS!

KIMBALL, FELT & WENTWORTH,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS,
Marble Block, 322 and 324 Washington Street,
BOSTON.

MARCH 1st, 1855.

THE SUBSCRIBERS have now in Stock a complete assortment of both Foreign and Domestic

CARPETINGS

Received direct from Manufacturers and large Auction Sales, and therefore enabled, with a Fresh Stock purchased at the reduced rates, to sell new and choice fabrics and styles at the

LOWEST PRICES.

Our variety embraces Best French and English WILTONS, MOSAICS, VELVETS, TAPESTRIES, and BRUSSELS.

—ALSO—

English and Lowell THREE PLYS—SUPER INGRAINS—STAIR CARPETINGS of every grade—Berlin and Dutch ditto, all widths—Low-priced Ingrains—Canton and Cocoa MATTINGS—with a full assortment of English and American

OIL CLOTHS,

DRUGGETS, FELTING, RUGS, etc., etc., to which the attention of purchasers is invited.

March 3—3m.

Keeping Up with the Times, or how it is Done at Oak Hall, on a Tight Money Market.

READ! UPWARDS OF

$150,000 worth of
WINTER CLOTHING,

At the following low Prices, viz:

$1 1-2 TO 2. Good Pants, of various fabrics.

$2 1-2. Cassimere, Doeskin, and Broadcloth Pants, at this low price, for a few days, to reduce stock.

$2 3-4. Custom Made Doeskin Pants, Canvass Bottoms, and made of as good material as the Pants for which you usually pay $5. Closing sale of winter Clothing.

$3 TO 5. Fancy Cass., Doeskin, and Cloth Pants, of very desirable patterns, being at least 25 per cent less than the same are usually sold.

$8. A nice Affair for a Gentleman. Over Garments, custom made, usually sold for much more.

$3 1-2. For an Office or Business Coat, to close out the stock.

$8 TO 12. Dress and Frock Coats, from Superfine Broadcolth & Doeskins, made up in good style and in a faithful manner. All will be sold at these low prices, to close out stock.

$1 TO 1 1-2. Vests, of the latest fashion, for these low prices.

$2 TO 3 1-2. For nice Fancy Satin Vests. Also Black or Fancy Silk do., made up in the latest styles. Gentlemen's Dressing Gowns, very lowest prices.

GENTLEMEN'S
FURNISHING GOODS.

37½ TO 150 Cts. Assorted lot of Shirts and Drawers.
50 " 200 " FINE SHIRTS, Linen Bosoms and Collars.
12½ " 50 " Fine Linen BOSOMS
5 " 17 " " " COLLARS.
25 " 150 " STOCKS AND CRAVATS.
25 " 100 " SILK POCKET HANDKERCHIEFS.
10 " 50 " SUSPENDERS.
37 " 200 " UMBRELLAS.
6 " 17 " TOOTH BRUSHES.
6 " 100 " HAIR BRUSHES.

Together with a great variety of Fancy Goods be closed up cheap.

BOY'S DEPARTMENT.

$2 TO 5 OVER SACKS.
$1½ 4 JACKETS.
$1 " 3 CASSIMERE, Cloth, and Doeskin Pants.
50 " 200 cts. VESTS.
150 " 500 " SUIT JACKETS & PANTS.

Very truly the above are low prices! Purchasers however, are requested to bring this advertisement with them, and they will acknowledge the fact. We are determined to close up all our stock of Winter Clothing

A copy of the new book, "Oak Hall Pictorial," gratis to every purchaser.

OAK HALL,
34 NORTH STREET, BOSTON.

Dec 23 1854—3m.

NUMBER ALTERED.

New England Truss Manufactory.

JAMES FREDERICK FOSTER.

MANUFACTURER OF

Ratchet and Spiral Tusses.

533 (*Opposite* 516) *Washington Street*, **533.**
BOSTON, MASS.

ALL the various approved TRUSSES constantly on hand.

☞ Ladies waited on by MRS. CAROLINE D. FOSTER, who has had *twenty years'* experience in the business.

He will keep a full supply of ready-made Trusses for Gentlemen and Ladies, Youths and Infants. Abdominal Supporters, of five or six different kinds, such as Hull's, Chapin's Spiral, Cutter's, Fitch's, Ingalls', &c., &c.

TESTIMONIALS.

The undersigned take great pleasure in recommending to the favorable consideration of those who are unhappily afflicted with Hernia, Mr. James Frederick Foster, as a skilful and competent person in the manufacture and fitting of Trusses. We have employed him (some of us over twenty years) and therefore speak from personal knowledge of his abilities His early advantages, his long experience in the business, and the large number of individuals whom he has relieved in a variety of cases, render him, in our opinion, equal, if not superior, to any manufacturer of the article. His father, Dea. Gideon Foster, of Charlestown, was master of the poor house in that town for upwards of twenty-four years, during which period Mr. Foster availed himself of the opportunity, and made application of Trusses to a great variety of cases, with great success, some of which were of a very complicated and distressing character.

It is well known to all who have occasion to wear a Truss, that its great excellence consists in its adaption to the body, at the same time relieving the patient. Any ordinary mechanic may make a Truss, but none but a skilful practitioner can apply it in such a manner as effectually, and oftentimes radically cure the complaint.

Our experience has convinced us that Mr. Foster has thoroughly attained this knowledge. The certificates of Dr. J. C. Warren, and other eminent physicians, which he has shown to us, fully sustain the opinion we here express.

David Dodge, aged	72	Sam'l Ethridge, aged	53
Newhall Martin, "	78	Arnold Southwick, "	48
Jas. R. Turner, "	40	Jonathan Locke, "	66
Sam'l Payson, "	72	Uriah Tufts, "	57

Charlestown, March 1, 1847.

The subscriber has a list of 9000 names that have bought Trusses of him within the last thirty years, living in all parts of the United States.

☞ Persons ordering these Trusses by mail, and giving dimensions, and say right or left, can have them sent to any part of the country, by express, and at just the price they are willing to pay; $2 to $1 single, $4 to 6 double.

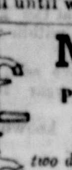
J. FREDERICK FOSTER.

The above Trusses are for sale in Newport by HAZARD & CASWELL. july 15, 1854.—1y

Plumbing, &c.

JAMES W. LYON,
PLUMBER, BRASS FOUNDER & COPPER SMITH
No. 236, THAMES STREET,
NEWPORT, R. I.

Grateful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to his business to merit the approbation of his customers. All work warranted not to fail until worn out. April 17, 1852.



N. M. Chafee,
PRACTICAL PLUMBER
210 THAMES STREET,
two doors north of Custom house.



All orders attended to with neatness and dispatch and all work *Warranted.* Jan. 22.

LOCK-SMITH
—AND
BELL HANGER.

THE SUBSCRIBER, having removed from N. M. Chafee's establishment, to the rear of No. 5 JOHN STREET, is now prepared to carry on all the branches of his business as lock-smith and bell-hanger. He keeps constantly on hand every variety of bells, locks, and keys, of the most approved patterns, which are furnished at the lowest rates, and all work warranted.

JOHN GLYNN,
Sept 13—tf. No. 210 Thames Street.

Millinery.

NEW
Straw Bonnet and Hat Bleachery.

THE SUBSCRIBER would inform the citizens of Newport and its vicinity, that he has taken the store No. 86 Thames street, next door North of Mr. Wm. H. Bayley's Shoe Store where he is now ready to receive Straw Bonnets and Hats to cleanse and press in the most fashionable style.

PINKING.

The subscriber pays particular attention to Pinking Ladies Capes, Talmas, Basques, Mantillas, Rufflings, Flounces and Aprons. Call and see patterns.

July 1, 1854.—1y F. H. GREENE.

MILLINERY GOODS.

JUST RECEIVED at No. 96, a new lot of Bonnet Silks, Satins, and Velvet for Ladies Hats, and other Millinery Goods.

BONNETS BLEACHED & PRESSED in the BEST MANNER.

Particular attention paid to the doing up of Beaver, Plush and Fel Hats,

oct 28 AUGUSTUS FRENCH.

MILLINERY

A RICH ASSORTMENT OF
RIBBONS,
AND OTHER
MILLINERY GOODS,
AT A. SHERMAN'S, 261 *Thames street.*

Clothing.

Fashionable Tailoring Establishment
NO. 168 Thames Street.

The subscriber, would respectfully invite the attention of the public, to his fashionable assortment of new Winter Goods consisting in part, of

BROADCLOTHS, CASSIMERES, AND VESTINGS,

which will be sold at moderate prices, or made into garments of the *latest styles*, in the most *thorough manner.*

WILLIAM B. SWAN.

New Fall and Winter Goods,
JUST ARRIVED

CONSISTING OF Beaver and Pilot Cloths Devonshire, Kerseys, Petershams and Coating for Over Coats.

Broadcloths, of all Colors, Doeskins, Cassimers, Vesting, Vermont Cloths and Settinets.

A large assortment of Trimmings of all kind Furnishing Goods of all descriptions to be 1 Cheap! Cheap!! Cheap!!!

JOSEPH M. HAMMETT.
Oct. 23. Tailor & Draper

N. B. Cutting particularly attended to.

STEPHEN HAMMETT'S
Clothing Warehouse
No. 172 Thames Street.

THIS establishment is now supplied with a new and immense stock of

FALL & WINTER CLOTHING

Including every variety of Over Coats, Dress and Frock Coats, Pants, Vests, &c. all made of the best materials.

Attention is also invited to

FURNISHING GOODS DEPARTMENT.

in which I am prepared to exhibit and offer for sale a great variety of Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags, India Rubber Goods, Oil Clothing, Hats, Caps, &c., &c.,

NOTICE.

THOS. C. MUMFORD, No. 173 Thames street, will sell his present stock of Cloths, Clothing, and Furnishing Goods, at REDUCED PRICES.

Hats! Hats!! Hats!!!

I AM HAPPY to announce to the citizens of Newport, that I have made arrangements with the three most celebrated Hatters in New York—Beebe, Leary and Genin—to supply me with their Spring style of Hats, of the same style and quality that they sell at their counters in Broadway, and at the same price. Gentlemen, send in your old hats and exchange them for new ones.

J. H. COZZENS,
March 3. No. 152 Thames st.

Business Cards.

R. P. BERRY,
DENTIST
—OFFICE—
CORNER OF THAMES AND MARY STREETS.
Newport, March 20, 1852.—1y

WM. DOUGLAS LAKE,
Sheriff of the County of Newport, and Notary Public.
Office in the State House Residence No. 90 Broad street.
May 20 – 1y

WILLIAM P. SHEFFIELD,
COUNSELLOR AT LAW.
Office in the Rhode Island Union Bank Building,
May 7. THAMES STREET. 1853.

E. D. BEEDE,
AUCTION AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
46 THAMES STREET, NEWPORT.
aug 5—tf.

Paints, &c.

Co-Partnership Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBERS have entered into Co-Partnership under the firm of

GLADDING & SIMMONS,

for the purpose of carrying on the Painting and Glazing business in all its branches. They also intend to keep on hand an assortment of new and second-hand Sashes and Blinds, Paints, Oil, Glass, White Lead, &c., &c., at the lowest prices.

A share of public patronage is solicited at No. 21 Spring street.

WM. J. GLADDING,
LEWIS L. SIMMONS.

N. B. New Sashes exchanged for Old. Persons wishing anything in their line will do well to call.

☞ All Orders promptly attended to. ☜

Feb 17, 1855—1y

PAINTS, GLASS &C.

THE subscriber, having taken the store No. 23 Long Wharf, for the purpose of carrying on the business of Painting and Glazing in all its branches, is prepared to execute all orders in his line in the most thorough manner. Particular attention paid to Graining and Sign painting, and the work warranted to give entire satisfaction. A share of public patronage is solicited.

Feb. 25 JOHN C. STODDARD.

NOTICE.

10,000 LIGHTS READY GLAZED. Sashes on hand and for sale at the LOWEST PRICES, at

GLADDING & SIMMONS',
No. 21 Spring st., nearly opposite
Feb 17. First Baptist Church.

Miscellaneous.

Tourjee's
MUSICAL EMPORIUM,
No. 69 North Main St, Mount Hope Block,
FALL RIVER.



The latest and most improved PIANOS and MELODEONS in the world, for which the

FIRST PREMIUM

has been awarded

OLD PIANOS taken in exchange for new—Pianos and Melodeons to let.

The subscriber is now making still greater inducements to KEEP THE LEAD in his large and extensive assortment of MUSICAL MERCHANDISE, and now offers, at still lower rates, instruments of all kinds.

PERSONS RESIDING AT A DISTANCE, and unable to visit the city, may rest assured of receiving as perfect an instrument if ordered by letter as though selected by themselves personally. Instruments packed with the greatest care in a neat and strong box, and fully warranted.

SHEET MUSIC sent to any part of the country, free of postage.

All orders promptly executed.

March 3—6m. EBEN TOURJEE.

NOTICE.

The undersigned have this day formed a copartnership under the firm of W. E. & G. F. CRANDALL, and will continue the business heretofore carried on by Wm. H. Crandall & Son. All business entrusted to their care will receive their personal attention.

WM. E. CRANDALL,
GEO. F. CRANDALL.

Newport, Jan 30th, 1855. [Feb 3.—tf

Paper Hangings.

THE SUBSCRIBERS beg to inform the citizens of Newport and surrounding neighborhood, that they have made such arrangements with one of the largest importing and manufacturing establishments in New York, that every article in the line of paper hangings, pannelings and decorations, can be furnished at the cheapest rates, and at the shortest notice.

The nature of the arrangement is also such as that workmen of the first class will be sent by the said establishment, so that private houses, Hotels, Public Buildings, Churches, &c. will be contracted for and the work done within any given period agreed upon.

Dec 30. CORNELL & DENNIS.

NEW
PAPER HANGINGS
ON THE 12th DAY OF MARCH.
JAMES HAMMOND
WILL OPEN AND HAVE FOR SALE
8,000 ROLLS
—OF—
New. Paper Hangings.

A BOY WANTED as above. [March 3.

PIANO FORTES.

PERSONS desiring Piano Fortes tuned can be accommodated *promptly* by leaving their orders at Ward's Book Store, No. 99 Thames street.

Piano Fortes KEPT in playing order by the year. Wires also repaired. [Feb 10.

WANTED.

SEVERAL HUNDRED LBS. OF WOOL, clean washed. For such the subscriber is willing to pay 25c per pound. Cash paid on delivery. WM. W. HAZARD,
Feb 3. Bellevue House.

FRESH FIGS.

JUST RECEVED, five cases Smyrna Figs, in small boxes, at
Jan 13. 115 Thames st.

PERUVIAN GUANO.

THIS ARTICLE was used by many of our farmers last Spring, and spoken of in the highest terms by all who used it. For sale by
March 3. J H. & G W. PERRY.

WM. H. SMITH,
DENTIST,

WILL be absent from Newport from the 5th to the 17th of March.

Rooms directly over the Post Office.

Feb 24.

TIMELY HINTS TO ALL.

How many have lost a father, a mother, a sister, a brother, or an innocent little prattling child—and have not even the shadow of a resemblance to look upon. After the separation some little toy or a trifling article of apparel, often is kept for years, and cherished as a token of remembrance how much more valuable would be one of Williams' perfect Daguerreotype Minatures of the "loved and lost."

Reader, perhaps you cannot do a better thing now, while your mind is upon the subject, than take an hour or two, and go by yourself, or with your family, or your friends, and visit the only artist in our town; and if not now, you may at some future period have reason to feel grateful for these "gentle hints" from

J. A. WILLIAMS,
Oct. 26, 1850. Daguerreotype Artist

Devine's Compound Pitch Lozenges!

The Great Remedy for Colds, Coughs, Whooping Cough, Croup, Asthma, and Consumption.

WARRANTED TO CURE!

Two boxes have cured a bad Cold.
Two to six boxes have cured Raising of Blood.
Three to five boxes have cured Whooping Cough.
Two to four boxes have cured Croup.
Five to eight boxes have cured Asthma.
Six to twelve boxes have cured Consumption.

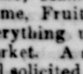
Manufactured by S. D. FULLER & CO., No. 4 Wilson Lane, Boston.

P. R. SLATER & CO., Wholesale and Retail Agents, No. 3 Tremont Temple, Boston, Mass.

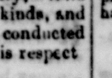
☞ Sold by Druggists and Merchants generally throughout the country; also by the Manufacturers, No. 4 Wilson Lane, Boston Mass.

Feb 17—7w

NEWPORT



MARKET.



THE SUBSCRIBERS having taken the Market recently occupied by Andrew Sterns, at No. 147 Thames Street, (foot of Church street) would respectfully inform their former customers, their friends, and the public generally, that they are now prepared to furnish Beef, Pork, Mutton, Lamb, Hams, Lard, Sausages, Poultry, Wild Game, Fruit and Vegetables of all kinds, and everything usually found in a well conducted Market. A share of public patronage is respectfull solicited.

SISSON, BATEMAN & COGGESHALL.

Newport, Dec 30.—tf

Co-Partnership Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBERS having entered into co-partnership under the firm of

BOSS & DAVIS,

will continue to furnish all kinds of

BREAD & CRACKERS,

of the best quality, wholesale and retail, at the lowest rates, at 205 Thames street.

ISAAC S. BOSS,
SIMEON DAVIS.

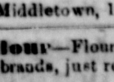
Newport, April 8, 1854.—tf

BARBERING SALOON.

THE UNDERSIGNED having taken the store **No. 75 Thames street,** and fitted it up in a neat and commodious manner, is now prepared to execute all branches of the Barbering business, such as Shaving, Hair Cutting, Shampooing, Curling, &c. He would respectfully invite the former customers of Mr. Samuel Young, (having purchased his furniture, &c.) his friends and the public generally, to give him a call.

A. L. PIERCE,
Jan 20.—tf opposite E. A. Sherman's

DEVON BULL
POWHATTAN!



THE SUBSCRIBER having at considerable expense, procured a fine animal of the pure Devon breed, for the improvement of his own Cattle, will accommodate others who wish to raise good stock.

Terms $3, payable in advance.

For Pedigree, see Herd Book.

THOMAS B. BUFFUM.

Middletown, 12th m, 23d, 1854.

Flour—Flour in Bags and Barrels of the best brands, just received by

H. H. YOUNG,
Feb 24. Parade corner.

Medicines.

CONSUMPTION
CURABLE BY INHALATION!
NEW YORK LUNG INSTITUTE
No. 6 BOND STREET, N. Y.,
UNDER THE CHARGE OF
GUILFORD D. SANBORN, M. D.

This institution—the only one of the kind in this country—has been established for the exclusive treatment of Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma, and all Chronic Disease of the Lungs and Throat, by the new system of Inhaling or Breathing Medicated Vapor.

No Medicines are given into the stomach, nor is the patient allowed to swallow any nostrum while under treatment.

The System of Inhalation at this Institute is new and novel, and differs widely from that of any other ever brought before the public. The remedy is in the form of a *Medicated Chemical Volatile Liquid*, which being poured upon a sponge and held to the face at stated intervals, at every inspiration, brought into direct contact with every part of the lungs and throat. While it is the most agreeable and delightful perfume, it is also the most powerful remedy, relieving the troublesome symptoms almost immediately, while their cause is effectually removed.

This Institution is under the immediate charge of Dr. Sanborn, the founder of this system of treatment and will also have as Medical Advisers several of the first physicians in New York. Persons who apply personally for treatment, or by letter may confidently rely, that their disease will be detected with unerring certainty and treated with a success hitherto unknown.

Dr. Sanborn's System of Inhaling or Breathing Medicated Vapor is rapidly producing a revolution in the treatment of lung and throat diseases, and so great has been his success, that the number of persons treated personally and by letter numbers nearly two hundred monthly.

Dr. Sanborn will guarantee to treat with better and more satisfactory success, ANY disease of the lungs or throat by his method, than any physician by the old antiquated practice of bleeding, blistering, and pouring into the patient's stomach opium, antimony, ipecac, lobelia, cod-liver oil, &c.

He will undertake to cure one-half of consumptive cases, provided they are treated before cavities are formed.

Dr. Sanborn has hundreds of certificates from persons occupying prominent positions in society of his unparalleled success; and the press of New York have added its evidence in favor of its superiority.

"It is no longer a matter of doubt that Incipient Consumption can be radically cured by Dr. Sanborn's system of inhaling medicated vapor." *New York Atlas.*

"Dr. Sanborn's success in curing lung and throat diseases, by inhalation is a complete and perfect triumph over the bad system of using the stomach for a drug shop." *Sunday Courier.*

"Dr. Sanborn is undoubtedly the most successful practitioner of diseases of the lungs and throat in the United States."—*Philadelphia Pennsylvanian.*

Persons at a distance, who are unable to incur the expense of a visit to the city and be treated personally, by sending a clear and full history of their disease (from themselves or physician,) can be treated by the same plan and remedies as here used. Such persons are under strict control, and it is expected that they will write us weekly of their case, when any additional advice or treatment will be given without extra charge.

Persons inclosing $5 will receive by Express one package of Dr. Sanborn's Medicated Lung Vapor, sufficient for four weeks use, with full directions, and also be entitled to any subsequent advice without charge.

All communications must be directed to D. G. D. SANBORN, No. 6 Bond St. New York, or N. S. DAY, *Proprietor.* 114 Chambers street.

N. B. -Dr. Sanborn is the only physician in the United States who treats diseases of the lungs and throat without giving medicine into the stomach.

HAZARD & CASWELL, Agents in Newport.
sept 23, 1854.—1y



AYER'S
PILLS.

FOR ALL THE PURPOSES OF A

FAMILY PHYSIC.

THERE has long existed a public demand for an effective purgative pill which could be relied on as sure and perfectly safe in its operation. This has been prepared to meet that demand, and an extensive trial of its virtues has conclusively shown with what success it accomplishes the purpose designed. It is easy to make a physical *pill*, but not easy to make the best of all *pills*—one which should have none of the objections, but all the advantages, of every other. This has been attempted here, and with what success we would respectfully submit to the public decision. It has been unfortunate for the patient hitherto that almost every purgative medicine is acrimonious and irritating to the bowels. This is not. Many of them produce so much griping pain and revulsion in the system as to more than counterbalance the good to be derived from them. These *pills* produce no irritation or pain, unless it arise from a previously existing obstruction or derangement in the bowels. Being purely vegetable, no harm can arise from their use in any quantity; but it is better that any medicine should be taken judiciously. Minute directions for their use in the several diseases to which they are applicable are given on the box. Among the complaints which have been speedily cured by them, we may mention Liver Complaint, in its various forms of Jaundice, Indigestion, Languor and Loss of Appetite, Listlessness, Irritability, Bilious Headache, Bilious Fever, Fever and Ague, Pain in the Side and Loins; for, in truth, all these are but the consequence of diseased action in the liver. As an aperient, they afford prompt and sure relief in Costiveness, Piles, Colic, Dysentery, Humors, Scrofula and Scurvy, Colds with soreness of the body Ulcers and impurity of the blood; in short, any and every case where a purgative is required.

They have also produced some singularly successful cures in Rheumatism, Gout, Dropsy, Gravel, Erysipelas, Palpitation of the Heart, Pains in the Back, Stomach, and Side. They should be freely taken in the spring of the year, to purify the blood and prepare the system for the change of seasons. An occasional dose stimulates the stomach and bowels into healthy action, and restores the appetite and vigor. They purify the blood, and, by their stimulant action on the circulatory system, renovate the strength of the body, and restore the wasted or diseased energies of the whole organism. Hence an occasional dose is advantageous, even though no serious derangement exists; but unnecessary dosing should never be carried too far, as every purgative medicine reduces the strength, when taken to excess. The thousand cases in which a physic is required cannot be enumerated here, but they suggest themselves to the reason of every body; and it is confidently believed this pill will answer a better purpose than any thing which has hitherto been available to mankind. When their virtues are once known, the public will no longer doubt what remedy to employ when in need of a cathartic medicine. Being sugar-wrapped they are pleasant to take, and being purely vegetable, no harm can arise from their use in any quantity.

For minute directions see wrapper on the Box.

PREPARED BY
JAMES C. AYER,
Practical and Analytical Chemist,
LOWELL, MASS.
Price 25 Cents per Box. Five Boxes for $1.

AYER'S
CHERRY PECTORAL,
For the rapid Cure of
COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING-COUGH, CROUP, ASTHMA, AND CONSUMPTION.

THIS remedy has won for itself such notoriety from its cures of every variety of pulmonary disease, that it is entirely unnecessary to recount the evidences of its virtues in any community where it has been employed. So wide is the field of its usefulness, and so numerous the cases of its cures, that almost every section of the country abounds in persons publicly known, who have been restored from alarming and even desperate diseases of the lungs by its use. When once tried its superiority over every other medicine of its kind is too apparent to escape observation, and where its virtues are known, the public no longer hesitate what antidote to employ for the distressing and dangerous affections of the pulmonary organs which are incident to our climate. And not only in formidable attacks upon the lungs, but for the milder varieties of COLDS, COUGHS, HOARSENESS, &c.; and for CHILDREN it is the pleasantest and safest medicine that can be obtained.

As it has long been in constant use throughout this section, we need not do more than assure the people its quality is kept up to the best that it ever has been, and that the genuine article is sold by

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